

71ST ANNUAL

DAMASCUS COMMUNITY FAIR

SEPTEMBER 9-11, 2016

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*A Community Event
Since 1946*



FREE ADMISSION

NO ENTRY FEE

LIVESTOCK/
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SAT 7PM

CORONATION OF FAIR KING & QUEEN **FRI 7PM**

LIVE MUSIC ALL WEEKEND •

FARM ANIMALS • ICE CREAM MAKING CONTEST •
SILENT AUCTION • LOCAL VENDORS

Entries Received
THURSDAY, SEPT. 8
4-8P

Exhibits open for viewing
12P-9P FRI
9A-9P SAT
9A-3:45P SUN

Cornhole Tournament
FRIDAY, SEPT. 9
7:30P

DAMASCUS ACTIVITY CENTER AND CARNIVAL GROUNDS

10211 Spots Drive • Damascus, MD

Message from the President

It's that time of year again. Time to celebrate the Damascus Community Fair, now in its 71st year. It will be another wonderful year of flowers, vegetables, crafts and, of course, animals. There will be some new events around the fair and we are bringing back many of your favorites. We hope you learn something and have a good time, too.

I was last President 11 years ago. Many things have changed with the Fair in 11 years, but what hasn't changed is the small town/community feel. The community continues supporting the Fair as sponsors, entrants and participants. There is no way we could do this all-volunteer effort without the support of this town and surrounding communities. You make the fair the experience that it is. Thank you.

While I'm thanking folks, thank you to the members of the Board of Directors for their hard work as well as their patience with me this year. Everyone brings a different skill set, talent or knowledge base to the table which helps make things flow smoothly. You have been great to work with.

On a personal note... this year's catalog is peach, representing uterine cancer awareness. I had a scare at the beginning of the year. Thankfully, after months of tests and surgeries, there were no signs cancer, only pre-cancerous cells, and, today, I am cancer-free. As President, I don't know what I would have done without Nancy Warfield, Vice President, and Daniel Hernandez, Past President, being there to pick up the slack when my brain just couldn't handle any more.

It's been quite a year preparing for this 71st Damascus Community Fair. I hope you enjoy the experiences as much as we have enjoyed putting it all together.

Beth Smith, President
Damascus Community Fair—2016

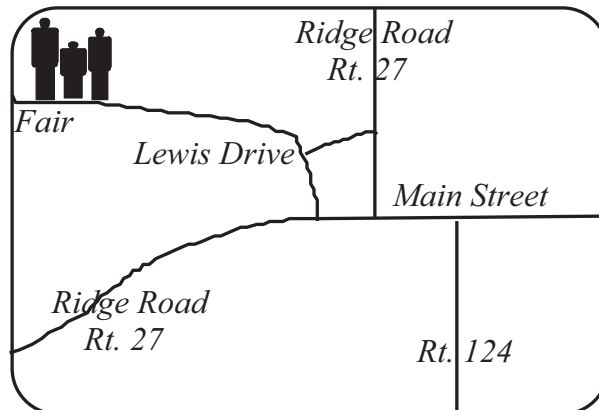
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**The Fair is located at: 10211 Lewis Drive
Damascus, Maryland 20872**



Mark Your Calendars for Next Year's Fair
September 7, 8, 9, and 10, 2017
to be held at the same location

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS - 2016

Thursday, September 8, 2016 — Entry Night

4:00 PM – 8:00 PM Exhibits and Small Animal Entries Accepted

Friday, September 9, 2016 – Kids' Day

9:00AM – 11:00AM Guided Tours - School, Pre-School, and Educational Demonstrations
9:00AM – 9:00PM Animal Education Exhibit (Outside)
9:00AM – 7:00PM Maryland Agricultural Showcase
9:00AM – 7:00PM Learn About Agriculture Scavenger Hunt
12:00PM – 7:00PM Blacksmith Demonstrations
12:00PM – 8:00 PM Exhibits Open to Public
12:00PM – 8:00PM Pottery Demonstrations
12:00PM – 8:00PM Free Popcorn Available (Damascus Lions Club)
4:30PM – 5:30PM Veggie 500 Races (Outside) (Butler's Orchard)
6:00PM – 8:00PM Silent Auction (Pole Barn)
6:00PM Ice Cream Making Contest
7:00PM Fair Royalty Competition
7:30PM Stitching & Needlework Networking (Pole Barn)
7:30PM – 9:30PM Cornhole Competition
7:30PM – 9:30PM Guys in Thin Ties—80s Cover Band (Outside)
9:00PM Exhibits Closed to Public

Saturday, September 10, 2016 – Family Day

8:00AM 28th Annual Fun Run (Sandy Spring Bank)
9:00AM – 9:00PM Exhibits Open to Public
9:00AM Bake Sale (Inside)
9:00AM – 9:00PM Animal Education Exhibit (Outside)
9:00AM – 7:00PM Maryland Agricultural Showcase
9:00AM – 7:00PM Learn About Agriculture Scavenger Hunt
9:00AM – 9:00PM Community Corner (Free activities for children)
9:00AM – 7:00PM Blacksmith Demonstrations
9:30AM – 11:00AM Pedal Jig Saw Demonstrations (Activity Bldg)
10:00AM – Noon Sheep Herding Demo (Open Field)
10:00AM – 8:00PM DJ Solutions - Music (Exhibit Hall)
10:00AM – 3:00PM Hay Rides (Free)
10:00PM – 8:00PM Pottery Demonstrations
10:00AM Pedal Tractor Pull (Outside)
10:30AM – 11:00AM Kangaroo Kids jump rope demo (blacktop)
11:30AM – 1:00PM Silent Auction (Pole Barn)
12:00PM – 8:00PM Free Popcorn Available (Damascus Lions Club)
12:00PM – 1:00PM Dance Demo/Show (Stage)
1:00PM Livestock Show (Beef, Sheep & Swine)

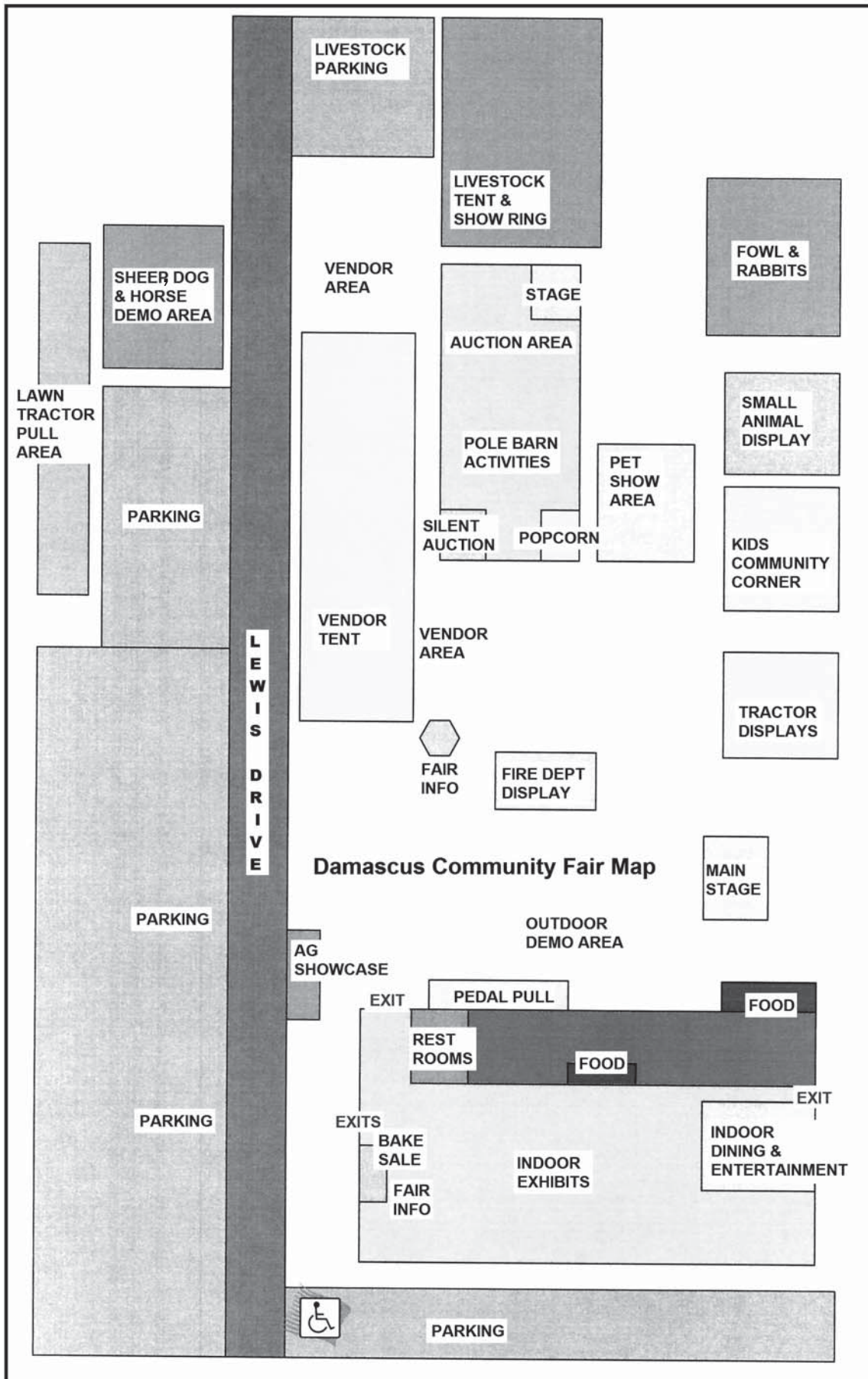
Saturday, September 10, 2016 – Family Day (cont'd)

1:00PM – 4:00PM	4-H Horse & Pony Club Demo & Drill Team
1:30PM – 2:00PM	Live Music (Stage)
2:00PM – 3:00PM	First Fruits Band (Inside)
2:00PM	Pet Show Check-In (Cats & Others) Pole Barn Area (NO DOGS)
2:30PM	Pet Show
3:00PM – 5:00PM	Pedal Jig Saw Demonstrations
3:00PM – 3:30PM	Live Music (Stage)
4:00PM	Damascus Community Fashion Show
4:30PM – 5:00PM	Live Music (Stage)
5:00PM – 7:00PM	Silent Auction (Pole Barn)
5:30PM – 6:30 PM	Live Music (Stage)
6:30PM	Pedal Tractor Pull (Outside)
7:00PM	Damascus Community Fair Cake Auction
7:00PM	Damascus Livestock Club Auction
9:00PM	Exhibits Closed to Public

Sunday, September 11, 2016 – Grandparents' Day

9:00AM – 3:45PM	Exhibits Open to Public
9:00AM – 4:00PM	Animal Education Exhibit (Outside)
9:00AM – 3:00PM	Maryland Agricultural Showcase
9:00AM – 3:00PM	Learn About Agriculture Scavenger Hunt
9:00AM – 3:00PM	Community Corner (Free activities for children)
9:00AM – 3:00 PM	Blacksmith Demonstrations
10:00AM – 3:00PM	Hay Rides (Free)
10:00AM – 3:00PM	Pottery Demonstrations
11:00AM	Dairy Livestock Show
12:00PM	Lawn & Garden Tractor Pull Registration (Track)
12:00PM – 2:00PM	Silent Auction (Pole Barn)
12:00PM – 4:00PM	Free Popcorn (Damascus Lions Club)
12:30PM	Pet Show Check-In (Dogs & Others) (NO CATS)
1:00PM	Goat Show
1:00PM	Lawn & Garden Tractor Pull
1:00PM	Pet Show (Dogs)
1:00PM – 2:00PM	Browningsville Band
1:30PM – 2:00PM	Create a Fair Hat
1:30PM – 3:00PM	Children's "Make-N-Take" Craft
2:30PM	Grandparents Program (Pole Barn)
2:30PM	Pedal Tractor Pull (Outside)
3:45PM	Indoor Exhibits Closed to Public Building will re-open at 4:00 PM
4:00PM – 6:00PM	Entries Released (all entries MUST be picked up by 6 PM)

All Times and Events Subject to Change Without Notice



The Damascus Community Fair

Cake Auction

Quality bakers are asked to donate their homemade confections to be auctioned off to the highest bidder. Proceeds from the Cake Auction go to the Community Fair's budget for the following year. So come on out and join the fun on Saturday, September 10th at 7:00 PM.

Livestock Auction

The Damascus Livestock Club offers buyers quality beef, pork, and lamb, raised by local 4-H youth. Proceeds from the Livestock Auction go to the Damascus Livestock Club and its members. The auction takes place in conjunction with the Cake Auction on Saturday, Sept. 10th at 7:00 PM.

Animals on the Farm

The Damascus Community Fair will provide the community with an up-close look of a number of different farm animals. Be sure to come by and see some of the residents of our local farms.

Royalty Competition

The Damascus Community Fair King and Queen will be crowned on Friday, September 9, 2016 at 7:00 pm. To be eligible, you must be between the ages of 12 and 18 as of January 1, 2016, and be a Montgomery County 4-H/FFA member and/or a citizen of the Damascus School Cluster. Be a part of history in the making! For more details, see page 55 or visit the website at www.damascusfair.org.

School Tours

Again this year, the Fair exhibits will be available for viewing by school classes on Friday, between 9 A.M. and 2 P.M. Pre-schools, nursery schools, and elementary schools are encouraged to contact Grace Leatherman at 410-440-9066.

Patriotic Poster Contest

Damascus American Legion Post 171 will sponsor a special Patriotic Poster Contest as one of the Fair activities for the current year. See page 54 for details.

Advertisements & Fair Patron Donations

Individuals, groups, or businesses interested in advertising or making a patron donation in next year's Fair catalog should contact a Board Member (see page 3). Our Community Fair thrives because of the support of area businesses and individuals. Thanks to all who support the Fair!

Silent Auction

A silent auction, composed of items donated by local artisans and mer-

chants, will be held several times during the Fair. Make a bid and be ready to keep bidding to benefit the Damascus Community Fair! If you would like to donate an item, call Tammy Sirk at 301-580-9381.

“Damascus Memories” Calendar

This year will be the 24th year that the Damascus Community Fair Board has published a calendar. We thank you for the support this effort has received in previous years and hope you will remember to purchase this new one for \$5.00 at the Fair. *If anyone has old photos they wish to share, please contact historian, Thomas (Tucky) Woodfield at 301-639-8856 or Member of the Fair’s Board of Directors listed on page 3.*

Veggie 500 Races

A fun children’s activity, this event will be held Friday, September 9th beginning at 4:30 PM. See page 53 for details.

Commercial Booths

Commercial Booths are available for rent for the representation and sale of items by local entrepreneurs and other businesses. Interested parties should refer to the Fair’s website (www.damascusfair.org) for more information.

Fair Volunteers

The Damascus Community Fair is actively seeking volunteers in all capacities, such as: pre-fair preparations, entry/exit night helpers, superintendents and Members of the Board of Directors. If you are interested, please contact any member of the Fair Board.

Community Corner

Community Corner is taking a break this year. If your organization, troop, or club would be interested in helping to staff the area for future years, please contact a member of the Board. You will still be able to take a family picture at the Fair mural painted by the talented Teresa Berman.

Agricultural Education for Everyone

Learn more about agriculture at the Ag Education area next to the Agriculture Showcase. You will hear stories, color in coloring books and participate in hands-on activities sponsored by the Damascus FFA. Presented by Senior 4-H members, the AgSploration experience will give you more opportunities for hands-on experiences. Agriculture professionals will be at the Ag 411 table to answer any questions you have. Finish your visit with a visit to the Ag Trailer for the complete agricultural experience.

Maryland Agriculture Showcase

Take a moment to explore this wonderful mobile showcase that high-

lights MD agriculture and shows just how agriculture impacts our lives on a daily basis. See the colorful displays and take part in the interactive exhibits. Try to milk a cow, learn impressive facts about agriculture, try out the fruit and veggie riddle boxes, measure your height in “horse hands” or explore life in the soil. You’ll be surprised what you learn! Open Friday and Saturday, 9 – 7 PM, Sunday, 9 – 3 PM.

Damascus Community Fashion Show

Admire the beautiful home sewing entries modeled by fair exhibitors on Saturday at 4:00 PM. All Home Sewing Department exhibitors are encouraged to participate. Participants are requested to prepare a brief narrative about the entry being modeled to give to the announcer at 3:45 PM Saturday.

Children’s Coloring Contest

The Coloring Contest Picture will be available beginning August 10th at the following locations: the Damascus Library, the Damascus Community Bank, Jimmie Cone, and at Hilton’s Farm and Garden Stand at the Damascus High School’s Farmers’ Market. For more information, please contact Superintendent Eloise Woodfield at 301-639-0884.

Other Fair Highlights

Educational Demonstrations
Grandparents Program
Garden Tractor Pull
Pet Show

Ice Cream Contest
Livestock Exhibits
Kid’s Fun Run

Food Schedule

The Damascus Volunteer Fire Department and Auxiliary will provide a variety of food for sale on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Community residents and out-of-town visitors will have an opportunity to enjoy delicious home cooking at reasonable prices.

Friday

12:00 PM – 9:00 PM----- Pizza, Hotdogs, Drinks Outside (Auxiliary)
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM----- Dinner Inside (DVFD)

Saturday

10:30 AM – 9:00 PM----- Pizza, Hotdogs, Drinks Outside (Auxiliary)
11:00 AM – 2:00 PM----- Lunch Inside (DVFD)
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM----- Dinner Inside (DVFD)

Sunday

10:30 AM – 4:00 PM----- Pizza, Hotdogs, Drinks Outside (Auxiliary)
11:00 PM – 2:00 PM ----- Lunch Inside (DVFD)

Chicken Dinner:

General Rules and Regulations - 2016

1. Entries are open to the general public of Damascus and surrounding communities.
2. **Livestock Entry Forms (beef, dairy, sheep, swine, goats, fowl, rabbits, and small animals) are required to be mailed. Entry forms must be postmarked no later than August 24, 2016. No hand-delivered or late entries will be accepted.** Forms may be obtained at: Four County Animal Hospital (across from McDonalds in Damascus); from Tom Smith (240-674-7420); or printed off the website www.damascusfair.org. Please mail entries to: Damascus Community Fair, P.O. Box 531, Damascus, MD 20872. **No pre-school age livestock division entries. See page 42 for more details.**
3. All entries in Sections A through M will be accepted Thursday, September 8th, from 4:00 – 8:00 PM. Entry instructions, helpful hints, and an example entry tag can be found on pages 12-13.
4. All persons entering items must keep the entry tag stub and return it to the persons in charge when picking up the entries.
5. Items entered incorrectly may be disqualified.
6. **Each exhibitor will be limited to one entry per class, unless otherwise stated.**
7. All entries must have been grown/created/owned by the exhibitor within the past twelve months, unless otherwise stated herein. No commercial products are to be judged in any class.
8. Entries previously exhibited at the Damascus Community Fair are not eligible, unless otherwise stated.
9. There will be separate age divisions for:
Pre-Schoolunder 5
Child: 5 through 12
Teen: 13 through 18
Adult: 19 and over
10. Ribbons will be given as warranted for first, second, and third places, as well as Champion and Grand Champion. Monetary premiums will be paid as follows (provided the revenue is available):

Premiums - All Classes

Grand Champion	\$2.50 + Rosette
Champion	\$2.25 + Purple Ribbon
First	\$2.00 + Blue Ribbon
Second	\$1.75 + Red Ribbon
Third	\$1.50 + White Ribbon
Special Awards	See Special Awards Section

11. Classes may be added or altered as justified and approved by the appropriate Superintendent.
12. If there are fewer than three entries in a class, the cash prize and ribbons will be determined by the judges.
13. Ribbons will be placed on the exhibits and they **must** remain with the exhibits in the showroom until the final day of Fair (Sunday at 4 PM). **NO ENTRIES WILL BE RELEASED BEFORE 4 PM ON SUNDAY.**
14. The Fair will be open to the public from 12 noon to 9 PM Friday, from 9 AM to 9 PM on Saturday and 9 AM to 4 PM on Sunday.
15. The Community Fair sponsors will do all in their power to safeguard the products exhibited, but in no case will they be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.
16. Exhibits must not be handled in any way while on display.
17. Positively no smoking after entering the building.
18. Premiums will be available from 4 - 6 PM Sunday, the final day of Fair. All premiums not collected will become a donation to the Fair. **NO PREMIUMS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AFTER 6 PM.**
19. **All exhibits must be removed by 6 PM Sunday**, the final day of Fair. All exhibits left on Sunday night will be donated to charity. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

The Directors of the Damascus Community Fair reserve the right to make any additions or corrections to these rules.

PREPARING FOR ENTRY NIGHT

Entries are received:

Thursday, September 8th
4:00 – 8:00 PM

Entries are released:

Sunday, September 11th
4:00 – 6:00 PM

STEP 1: You will receive a form if you haven't already picked one up from Gladhill Brothers. EVERYONE will receive an Exhibitor Number. The form needs to be filled out with the Exhibitor's name and address.

Please print legibly!!!

STEP 2: You will be directed to a registrar to enter your Exhibits. You are welcome to bring the required information (described below) with you for each Exhibit, and/or fill out tags ahead of time (an example of how to fill out the tags can be found on page 13). If you need help filling out the form and tags with the required information, the registrars are there to assist you!

For each Exhibit, please fill out the form and tags with the following:

1. **Section** - The letter of the Section.
2. **Class** – The number preceding the description that best fits the Exhibit. If you're unsure of which Class to choose, there will be registrars available to help you decide.
3. **Description** – Provide a brief description of the Exhibit. If you are unsure of what to write, the registrars can help with this, too. Examples: "Pound Cake" "Chocolate chip cookies with walnuts" "Preserves - other (quince)"
4. **Division** - Indicate whether the Exhibitor is an adult, teen, child, or pre-school age. If the Exhibitor is in the Child or Pre-School Division, please specify their age (Pre-School - under 5 years; Child - 5-12 years).
5. **Exhibitor's Name and Address** - This can be handwritten or an address label (3/4" x 1 1/2") can be used (if an address label is used, PLEASE make sure that the correct name is on the label—for example, if a parent is using their labels for a child, cross out the adult's name and put the child's name).

**Entry Forms and Tags will be Available
AFTER AUGUST 17
at Gladhill Brothers John Deere, Damascus
(Routes 27 & 80)
7:00 – 5:00 (M – F)
7:00 – 2:00 (Sat)**

THIS NUMBER WILL BE GIVEN TO YOU WHEN YOU BRING YOUR ITEMS TO BE ENTERED ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

ENTRY TAG



EXHIBITOR # 1199

#111002

Section: F Class #: 9

Desc: Model Plane, Red

Division: (Mark one)

Adult Teen

Child 5-12 11 Pre-School _____
(If Child or Pre-School, please give age)

EXHIBITOR Greg Price

(FOLD ON THIS SCORE)

ADDRESS:

123 Your Street
Damascus, Md

**OPTIONAL
YOUR
ADDRESS
LABEL GOES
HERE**

CLAIM CHECK

EXHIBITOR #

1199

#111002

Damascus Community Fair

The History of the Damascus Community Fair

As we celebrate the 71st consecutive year of the Damascus Community Fair, we must remember our past:

It was a long time ago (in 1926 and 1927!) when Elwood Nehouse won a first and second place ribbon at the Damascus Community Fair. The Fair continued for many years, stopping for several years surrounding World War II. Every year since 1946, until the present day, Damascus citizens have put on a fair for the Community. The Damascus Community Fair has been an integral part of the history of Damascus, especially since Damascus was and is an important agricultural center for all of Montgomery County.

The Fair was held at Damascus High School until 1989 and was sponsored by the FFA and the FHA. After World War II and until 1958, the Fair had exhibitors showing their wares in such categories as vegetables, poultry, small grain, hay, corn, silage, seed, clothing and canned goods. In 1958, the Fair added Dairy and Live-stock exhibitors and then in 1961, the FFA/4-H Beef show and sale. Shortly thereafter, the Fair again expanded and included horticulture and flowers. Two popular events held yearly were introduced respectively in 1970 and 1987 - the Garden Tractor Pull and the Cake Auction.

In 1989, when agricultural courses were no longer being offered at Damascus High School, the Fair moved its setting to the Damascus Volunteer Fire Department's Carnival ground/activity center on Lewis Drive. To date, the Fair continues to receive support from the Volunteer Fire Department. The Fair is also supported by community volunteers - some serving on the Board of Directors, by the Damascus Future Farmers Association and Alumni, the Damascus Livestock Club, and community 4-H clubs.

The Damascus Community Fair continues as a present day reminder of what Damascus was like many years ago and also allows our community a special place to learn and have fun in their own backyard.

AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENTS

Fruits & Vegetables Section A.

Superintendents:	Bob DeLauder	301-898-0107
	Robert DeLauder	301-253-6992
	Mark Adkins	301-482-1123

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. Each exhibit **must include five of each variety**, unless otherwise indicated.
3. Fruit classes will be divided according to variety.
4. All exhibits will be judged on: quality, ripeness, uniformity, and overall appearance.

Vegetables

1. Beans, Green (1 bunch)
2. Beans, Wax (1 bunch)
3. Beans, Roma (1 bunch)
4. Beans, Purple Pod (1 bunch)
5. Beets (5) (Topped)
6. Black-eyed Peas, in pod (1 pint)
7. Broccoli (1 bunch)
8. Brussel Sprouts (1 pint)
9. Cabbage (1 head)
10. Cabbage, largest head (1)
11. Cantaloupe (1)
12. Carrots (5) (Topped)
13. Cauliflower (1)
14. Celery (1)
15. Chinese Cabbage (1)
16. Cucumbers, pickling
17. Cucumbers, salad
18. Eggplant (2)
19. Gourds
20. Herbs (1 bunch)
21. Kale (1 bunch)
22. Leeks (2)
23. Lima Beans, shelled (1 pint)
24. Lima Beans, in pod (1 pint)
25. Melon, other (1)
26. Okra
27. Onions, red
28. Onions, yellow
29. Onions, white
30. Parsley (1 bunch)
31. Parsnips
32. Peas, in pod (1 pint)
33. Peppers, Hot, Banana
34. Peppers, Hot, Jalapeno
35. Peppers, Hot, Chili
36. Peppers, Hot, Other
37. Peppers, Sweet, Banana
38. Peppers, Sweet, Red
39. Peppers, Sweet, Green
40. Peppers, Sweet, other
41. Potatoes, Cobbler
42. Potatoes, Kennebec
43. Potatoes, Red
44. Potato, largest (1)
45. Potatoes, AOV
46. Pumpkin, Cushaw (1)
47. Pumpkin, Field or Stock (1)
48. Pumpkin, Small Sugar (2)
49. Pumpkin, largest (1)
50. Pumpkin, miniature (2)
51. Radishes
52. Rhubarb (5 stalks)
53. Salsify
54. Squash, summer, patty pan (3)
55. Squash, summer, yellow-neck (3)
56. Squash, summer, zucchini (3)
57. Squash, summer, AOV
58. Squash, winter, acorn

Vegetables (cont'd)

- 59. Squash, winter, butternut (3)
- 60. Squash, winter, hubbard (1)
- 61. Squash, winter, largest (1)
- 62. Squash, winter, AOV (1)
- 63. Sunflower (1)
- 64. Sweet Corn
- 65. Sweet Potatoes
- 66. Sweet potato, largest (1)
- 67. Swiss Chard (1 bunch)
- 68. Tomato, cherry (10)
- 69. Tomato, Italian
- 70. Tomato, pink
- 71. Tomato, red
- 72. Tomato, yellow
- 73. Tomato, yellow preserving
- 74. Tomato, largest (1)
- 75. Tomato, AOV (1)
- 76. Turnips
- 77. Turnip, largest
- 78. Watermelon
- 79. Any other vegetable (1)
- 80. Novelty (1)
- 81. Display, at least 5 different vegetables
- 82. Display, at least 5 different gourds
- 83. Display, at least 5 different herbs
- 84. Vegetable Sculpture — use any variety of vegetables.

Fruits

- 85. Apples, Red Delicious
- 86. Apples, Golden Delicious
- 87. Apples, any variety
- 88. Crab Apples
- 89. Grapes, any variety (1 bunch)
- 90. Peaches, any variety
- 91. Pears, any variety
- 92. Persimmons
- 93. Other fruit
- 94. Display, at least 5 varieties of fruit

Nuts

- 95. Black walnuts (1 qt. in shell)
- 96. Chestnuts
- 97. English Walnuts (1 qt. in shell)
- 98. Peanuts (1 bunch or 1 qt. in shell)
- 99. Any other variety of nuts (1 qt. in shell)

Honey

- 100. Beeswax (1 pound)
- 101. Best Honey Display (3 ft. width maximum)
- 102. Chunk Honey (1 pound jar)
- 103. Comb Honey (1 section)
- 104. Extracted Honey (1 pound jar)

Field Crops Section B.

Superintendent:

Kevin Beall

240-994-7861

- 1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
- 2. **Each exhibitor may enter two entries per class.**
- 3. Hay may be baled or loose, but should be entered in a bunch 24 inches in diameter.
- 4. Silage should be entered in half-gallon sealed containers.
- 5. Grain should be entered in one-quart jars.

Grain

1. Wheat (1 quart)
2. Barley (1 quart)
3. Rye (1 quart)
4. Oats (1 quart)
5. Soybeans (1 quart)
6. Soybean Plant (1)
7. Wormweed Plant (1)
8. Any other grain (1 quart)

Hay

9. Timothy
10. Alfalfa
11. Clover
12. Orchard Grass
13. Mixed

Silage

14. Corn Silage
15. Grass Silage
16. Mixed or other silage

Corn

17. Freak Corn (1 ear)
18. Indian Corn (1 ear)
19. Indian Corn (10 ears)
20. Longest Ear (1 ear)
21. Popcorn (1 ear)
22. Popcorn (10 ears)
23. Shelled Corn (1 quart)
24. Tallest Corn (1 stalk)
25. White Corn (1 ear)
26. White Corn (10 ears)
27. Yellow Dent (1 ear)
28. Yellow Dent (10 ears)

Tobacco

29. Hand (8 leaves)
30. Whole Plant

Flowers & Plants Section C.

Superintendents:	Denise Mullins	410-920-2178
	Lori Mayhew	301-253-7030

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. **Each exhibitor may enter one entry per class, except in the “other” categories (classes 17, 28, 69, 70, 81, 133 and 178). More than one entry can be made in the “other” classes, but each entry must be a different kind of plant.**
3. All materials used in arrangements need not have been grown by the exhibitor.
4. Label all containers for arrangements on the bottom with name and address on adhesive. When possible, also label potted plants.
5. Containers for specimen classes will be provided.
6. All specimens and potted plant entries should be grown by exhibitor or be in exhibitors possession for at least three months.
7. All cut specimens must have a minimum of 4” stem.
8. No artificial colored flowers.

Fresh Floral Designing

1. Arrangement to commemorate the 71st Damascus Community Fair (accessories permitted).
2. Arrangement Honoring First Responders
3. Berry arrangement, (edible or ornamental) not to exceed 24" in height.
4. Bud Vase Arrangement
5. Centerpiece, (mixture of several varieties for dinner table) not to exceed 24" in height.
6. Chrysanthemum arrangement, (no other flowers permitted).
7. Corsage
8. Crescent shaped arrangement, (no accessories).
9. Foliage arrangement, natural, (accessories).
10. Kitchen arrangement, (12"x12" maximum size).
11. Nosegay
12. Miniature arrangement, 4" or less in any direction.
13. One-sided arrangement, (no accessories).
14. Rose arrangement, (no other flowers permitted).
15. Wild Flower arrangement, (mixture of several varieties).
16. Special event arrangement, named (example: Baby Shower - accessories permitted).
17. Other

Dried Floral Designing

18. Arrangement to commemorate the Damascus Community Fair (accessories permitted).
19. Dried Wreath: cones, nut
20. Dried Wreath: floral, nut, cone, etc.
21. Dried Wreath: fruit
22. Dried Wreath: herbal
23. Foliage arrangement, (accessories permitted).
24. Miniature arrangement, 4" or less (including accessories) in any direction
25. One-sided arrangement
26. Williamsburg-type arrangement
27. Pressed Flower Item
28. Other (door or wall decorations, swags, etc.)

Potted Plants

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| 29. African Violet | 44. Fern, Dallas |
| 30. Begonia, Fibrous, Angel Wing | 45. Fruits |
| 31. Begonia, Fibrous, Wax | 46. Fuchsia |
| 32. Begonia, Fibrous, Rex | 47. Gardenia |
| 33. Begonia, Tuberous | 48. Geranium |
| 34. Cacti | 49. Grape Ivy |
| 35. Christmas/Easter Cactus | 50. Hanging Basket (flowering) |
| 36. Coleus | 51. Hanging Basket (foliage) |
| 37. Crown of Thorns | 52. Impatiens |
| 38. Dieffenbachia | 53. Impatient, New Guinea |
| 39. Dish Garden | 54. Jade Plant |
| 40. Dracenia | 55. Jerusalem Cherry |
| 41. Fern, Asparagus | 56. Norfolk Island Pine |
| 42. Fern, Birds' Nest | 57. Oxalis |
| 43. Fern, Boston | 58. Palm |

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| 59. Peperomia | 65. Swedish Ivy |
| 60. Philodendron | 66. Terrarium |
| 61. Prayer Plant | 67. Wandering Jew |
| 62. Rubber Plant | 68. Bonsai |
| 63. Sansevieria (Snake Plant) | 69. Other Flowering Plant |
| 64. Spider Plant | 70. Other Foliage Plant |

Dried Materials

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| 71. Celosia | 77. Dried Grain (1 stalk) |
| 72. Globe Amaranth | 78. Dried Herbs (1 stalk) |
| 73. Statice | 79. Dried Weeds (1 stalk) |
| 74. Strawflower | 80. Dried Flower (1 bloom) |
| 75. Cultivated Flower (1 bloom) | 81. Other Dried Materials |
| 76. Dried Berries (1 cluster) | |

Silk Floral Designing

82. Corsage - Must have been made within the last 12 months.
 83. Patriotic Centerpiece - Must have been made within the last 12 months (not to exceed 24" in height).

Specimens—Annuals

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| 84. Ageratum | 110. Marigold, American (yellow) |
| 85. Aster | 111. Marigold, American (orange) |
| 86. Bachelor Button (Corn Flower) | 112. Marigold, French double (orange) |
| 87. Bells of Ireland | 113. Marigold, French double (yellow) |
| 88. Calendula | 114. Marigold, French - bicolor |
| 89. Celosia, plumed | 115. Marigold, French - single |
| 90. Celosia, crested | 116. Nasturtium |
| 91. Cleome | 117. Nicotiana |
| 92. Coreopsis | 118. Pansies |
| 93. Cosmos | 119. Petunia, single |
| 94. Dahlias, Large Decorative | 120. Petunias, double |
| 95. Dahlias, Decorative | 121. Salvia, blue |
| 96. Dahlias, Pompom | 122. Salvia, scarlet |
| 97. Dahlias, Cactus Flowered | 123. Salvia, other |
| 98. Dahlias, Water Lily | 124. Scabiosa |
| 99. Dahlias, Ball | 125. Snapdragons |
| 100. Dahlias, single | 126. Strawflowers |
| 101. Dianthus (pinks) | 127. Statice Flower |
| 102. Forget-Me-Nots | 128. Zinnias, large flowered |
| 103. Geranium | 129. Zinnias, single flowered |
| 104. Gerbera Daisy | 130. Zinnias, pompom, button |
| 105. Gladiolus | 131. Zinnias, cactus flowered |
| 106. Globe Amaranth | 132. Zinnias, Large pompom |
| 107. Helianthus (Sunflower, single) | 133. Any other annual |
| 108. Helianthus (Sunflower, double) | |
| 109. Marigold, American (cream or white) | |

Specimens—Perennials

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| 134. Anemone | 156. Gypsophilia (Baby's Breath) |
| 135. Artemesia | 157. Hardy Begonia |
| 136. Aster (Perennial) | 158. Hydrangea |
| 137. Butterfly Bush | 159. Heliopses (Perennial Sunflower) |
| 138. Campanula (Bellflower) | 160. Peacock Orchid |
| 139. Chrysanthemums, double disbuds | 161. Perennial Phlox |
| 140. Chrysanthemums, single disbuds | 162. Platycodon (Balloon Flower) |
| 141. Chrysanthemums, decorative | 163. Physostegia (False Dragonhead) |
| 142. Chrysanthemums, pompom button | 164. Pyrethrum (painted daisy) |
| 143. Chrysanthemums, Spiders | 165. Roses, Hybrid Tea (red) |
| 144. Chrysanthemums, Spoons | 166. Roses, Hybrid Tea (yellow) |
| 145. Clematis | 167. Roses, Hybrid Tea (pink) |
| 146. Coreopsis | 168. Roses, Hybrid Tea (other) |
| 147. Daisy, Shasta | 169. Roses, Floribunda/Grandiflora |
| 148. Daisy, Other | 170. Roses, Miniature |
| 149. Delphinium | 171. Roses, Other |
| 150. Dianthus | 172. Rudbeckia (Black-Eyed Susan) |
| 151. Digitalis (Foxglove) | 173. Rudbeckia (Gloriosa Daisy) |
| 152. Echinacea (Cone Flower) | 174. Sedum |
| 153. Feverfew | 175. Tropical Flower, Cut |
| 154. Gaillardia | 176. Violas |
| 155. Globe Thistle (Echinops) | 177. Yarrow |
| | 178. Other Perennial |

ARTS AND CRAFTS DEPARTMENTS

Fine Arts Section D.

Superintendents:	Carolyn Corazza	240-876-8572
	Hallie Van Horn	301-943-3962

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. All entries are to be on unlined paper.
3. No paint by number paintings.
4. All entries are to be framed (except class 34), paper frames acceptable.
5. **All entries must be ready to hang with secure wire or string attached to frame.**
6. Maximum exhibit size is 36"x 36", including frame.
7. Class **36** must use a fine arts medium, but must be ready to hang.

Paintings

Oil

1. Landscape and Seascape
2. Still Life
3. Portrait or Figure
4. Nature (Animals, Birds, Fish, Plant life)
5. Abstract (Objective or Non-objective)

Acrylic and Tempera

6. Landscape
7. Seascape
8. Still Life
9. Portrait or Figure
10. Nature (Animals, Birds, Fish, Plant life)
11. Abstract (Objective or Non-objective)

Water Color

12. Landscape
13. Seascape
14. Still Life
15. Portrait or Figure
16. Nature (Animals, Birds, Fish, Plant life)
17. Abstract (Objective or Non-objective)

Drawings

Pastels, Chalk and Charcoal

18. Landscape or Seascape
19. Still Life
20. Portrait or Figure
21. Nature (Animals, Birds, Fish, Plant life)
22. Abstract (Objective or Non-objective)
23. Other (Outer space, etc.)

Pencil, Pen and Ink

24. Markers
25. Pen and Ink: Brush or Felt-tip (Black and White)
26. Pencil – Color or Black and White
27. Crayons

Other

Printmaking

28. Stencil
29. Woodcut, Linoleum, Vegetable block
30. Silk Screen
31. Etching
32. Found Objects (Leaf print, etc.)
33. Collage
34. Poster (on poster board or sturdy cardboard)

Miscellaneous

35. Mixed Media
36. Wood Item
37. Any Fine Arts made by a person 65 years and older (*Only one entry is allowed in this category. Other entries may be entered in other classes*)
38. Any Fine Arts made by a person 5 years and younger. *Only one entry is allowed in this category. Other entries may be entered in other classes*)
39. Miniature Art – Area of the frame cannot exceed 40 sq. inches (example: 5" x 8" = 40")

Handcrafts Section E.

Superintendents:	Sue Hilton	301-253-4628
	Sharon Rae	301-253-0680

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
 2. All items must be clean.
 3. Please note if entry is original.
 4. All parts of items must be securely attached. We make every effort to safeguard entries, but loose parts may get lost.
 5. All wreaths, wall hangings, stained glass, and pictures must be ready to hang.
 6. Please enter your best effort.
 7. Maximum exhibit base size is 20" x 20" due to space limitations.
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1. Carved or Decorated Pumpkins – no taller than 10" high, *teen and adult*
 2. Decorated Pumpkins – no taller than 10", no carving (*12 & under*)
 3. Ceramics - greenware painted by competitor (*age 7 and under*)
 4. Ceramics - greenware painted by competitor (*age 8 – 12*)
 5. Ceramics - greenware painted by competitor (*teen and adult*)
 6. Recycled Craft - crafts made from any recycled objects
 7. Rock, Shell, or Arrowhead craft
 8. Sculpture - stone, metal, wood, wire, etc.
 9. Soap craft - molded or carved
 10. Fabric craft
 11. Basketry - hand-woven
 12. Basketry - any other technique (for example: popsicle sticks)
 13. Beading - loom used
 14. Beading – earrings, necklace or bracelet (*7 and under*)
 15. Beading – earrings, necklace or bracelet (*age 8 – 12*)
 16. Beading – earrings, necklace or bracelet (*teen & adult*)
 17. Beading - other than above
 18. Wall hanging
 19. Weaving or knotting (example: friendship bracelets)
 20. Yarn craft (any article of yarn not listed in Home Arts Department)

21. Door decoration - no larger than 18" in any direction
22. Lawn decoration
23. Paper Mache – no larger than 18" in any direction
24. Sand Art - in container
25. Sand Art – picture
26. Stenciling
27. String Art
28. Candle - molded, dipped or free-form (*please state technique*)
29. Ceramics - hand built (*age 7 and under*)
30. Ceramics - hand built (*age 8 – 12*)
31. Ceramics - hand built (*teen and adult*)
32. Ceramics – molded
33. Ceramics – wheel thrown
34. Egg Craft, including Panoramic Eggs
35. Jewelry - other than beaded items
36. Metal Craft
37. Modeling - clay, plaster, bread dough, etc., (*7 and under*)
38. Modeling - clay, plaster, bread dough, etc. (*age 8 - 12*)
39. Modeling - clay, plaster, bread dough, etc. (*teen and adult*)
40. Nature craft - appleface dolls, cornhusk ornaments, etc.
41. Plastic craft - painted or melted to look like stained glass
42. Plastic craft - any plastic items other than models; Legos to be entered in Section F.
43. Perler Fuse Bead Craft
44. Decoupage
45. Leaded stained glass
46. Tole Painting on wood or metal
47. Doll House - Miniature
48. Woodburning
49. Handmade flowers
50. Felt Craft
51. Handmade Animals
52. Handmade Dolls
53. Handmade Toys or Games
54. Leathercraft
55. Ribbon Craft
56. Foil-wrapped stained glass
57. Stained glass sun catchers
58. Miscellaneous glass craft
59. Door Decoration – no larger than 18" in any direction
60. Origami
61. Potpourri - mixed by competitor and made by competitor.
62. Paper crafts made with scrapbook techniques, e.g. stamping, embossing, etc. (No Scrapbooks)
63. Hand-painted item (ex: wood, flower pots, etc. - no ceramics)
64. Gingerbread House or Other Buildings
65. Holiday Decoration - January through June
66. Holiday Decoration - July through December, excluding Christmas
67. Holiday Decoration - Christmas
68. Holiday Ornament - January through June
69. Holiday Ornament - July through December, excluding Christmas
70. Holiday Ornament - Christmas

Educational Crafts and Booths Section F.

Superintendent:	John Leatherman	240-620-4311
Assistant :	Peter Murray	301-452-5614

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. Size Limitation of 48" x 36" x 32" per exhibit.
3. All collections must be educational; a learning experience for the exhibitor.
4. All collections must have at least 10 items which are enclosed in a book, a case, or securely mounted on a base.
5. A collection may be reshowed each year provided new specimens have been added and an itemized listing by years is attached after the first year.
6. **Lego models may be entered by children under 12 only. The models must be mounted or secured so the project can be safely moved, or they will be disqualified. Legos are to be entered in classes 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 only.**

Collections

1. Nature collection - rocks and minerals
2. Nature collection - leaves
3. Nature collection - twigs, bark, plants, fossils, or weeds
4. Nature collection - insects
5. Shell or Arrowhead collection
6. Collection of Damascus Community Fair Memorabilia - photos, ribbons, announcements, programs, etc., covering a period during the past 70 years.
7. Other: Collection with a written story - for example, buttons, dolls, albums, journals or scrapbooks telling a story with pictures, artwork, etc. (ethnic or historical, etc.)

Lego Models (Children under 12 only)

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| 8. Car | 11. Ship |
| 9. Plane | 12. Agricultural |
| 10. Rocket | 13. Model, other |

Kit Models

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| 14. Model car | 16. Model rocket |
| 15. Model plane | 17. Model, other |

Original Models

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| 18. Model car | 20. Model rocket |
| 19. Model plane | 21. Model, other |

Educational

22. Working Model or doll house - kit
23. Working Model or doll house - original
24. Scale Model, scenic, historical, other than above - kit
25. Scale Model, scenic, historical, other than above - original
26. Educational Poster
27. Miscellaneous Model
28. Historical Toy - Should specify kit or original. An index card should be included, indicating the time period, country of origin, and any other historical information.
29. Homemade book with a historical toy.
30. A diorama with a historical, geographical, or scientific theme.
31. Miscellaneous item (made by person 65 or older)

Educational Booths

Example: Can promote 4-H, Scouting, etc.

Judging Standards:

- Effective Title
- Attracts Attention
- Conveys Main Point Effectively
- General Appearance
- Danish System will be used to establish premiums

<i>Premiums</i>	
<i>First</i>	\$20.00
<i>Second</i>	\$15.00
<i>Third</i>	\$10.00

Rules:

1. **Must contact the Superintendent for pre-registration.**
2. Only one entry per individual or club.
3. Each club display booth must be the work of the group's members.
4. Size limitations are 48" x 36" x 22", or as arranged in advance with Superintendent.
5. Name of exhibitor or group is not to be part of the display.
6. No electrical outlets are available; display must be self-contained.

Electricity and Small Engines

Section G.

Superintendent: Ed Hogan, Sr. 301-922-2681

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. If a kit is used, attach a narrative card explaining uses, experiences with, and how it was tested.

Electricity

1. Lamp (with shade)
2. Extension cord or drop light
3. Electric Light other than Class 1 or 2
4. Electrical Game or Quiz
5. Electric or Electronic Project - non-kit
6. Electric or Electronic Project - kit
7. Electrical Motor Educational Display
8. Electrical Component, Device, or Appliance (with parts identification and explanation or diagnosis)
9. Clocks - Electric
10. Electrical Safety Display
11. Electrical Conservation Display
12. Solar Energy Display or Device
13. Wind or Tidal Energy Display or Device
14. Geothermal Energy Display or Device
15. Other Alternative Supply Source for Electricity, Display or Device
16. Group or Club Entry for any of Class 1 – 15. Single Exhibit.

Small Engines

17. Small engine - parts identification display board
18. Small engine - cut away of engine
19. Small engine - repaired mower or engine (list repairs made with a narrative, as in rule 2 above)
20. Small engine - model, kit
21. Small engine - model, original
22. Small engine - single component display, including labeling and explanation.
23. Explanatory Display of the Internal Combustion Process
24. Group or Club entry for any of Classes 17 – 23. Single exhibit.

Woodworking Section H.

Superintendent: Ed Hogan, Sr. 301-922-2681

1. All General Rules apply, See page 10.
2. No electrical products in woodworking.
3. Indicate on tag whether hand or power tool made.

Woodworking

1. Small handmade project (e.g. door stop)
2. Small handcrafted project, misc.
3. Birdhouse, Feeder (painted)
4. Birdhouse, Feeder (original)
5. Birdhouse, Feeder (kit)
6. Novelty Item, (painted)
7. Novelty Item (Hand-made)
8. Woodcraft – Lathe work (e.g. candle sticks)
9. Woodcraft – Small Items (e.g. book ends)
10. Woodcraft – Medium Items (e.g. tool chest)
11. Woodcraft – Large Items (e.g. desk)
12. Woodcraft – Kitchen Items (e.g. cutting board)
13. Woodcraft – Toy, Original
14. Woodcraft – Toy, Kit
15. Woodcraft – Carved Item
16. Woodcraft – Clock (original or kit) - Mechanical and Battery Operated
17. Refinished Chair
18. Class or Club Project
19. Woodcraft – Painted Item
20. Woodcraft item – (made by person 65 or older)
21. Outdoor Items
22. Refinished Furniture (not a chair)
23. Race Car (Original)
24. Race Car (Kit)

Photography Section I.

Superintendents: Mike Hartswigen 301-641-2936
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Ken Visser 240-372-5007

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. **All photographs MUST be mounted on Black, White, or Gray matte, flat board, tagboard, or foam core, NOT to exceed 11" x**

- 14" (except for entries in the Story Board category).**
3. **ALL ENTRIES MUST BE READY TO HANG FOR DISPLAY.**
 4. No Frames allowed.
 5. Print sizes can vary from 3 1/2" x 5" to 11" x 14".
 6. NO names on the front of photograph.
 7. Name, address, phone number, and age should appear on the back.
 8. Slides are not permitted.
 9. **Due to the changing nature of digital photography, all digital images submitted that are not manipulated will be entered in the category most appropriate to their content in either Black & White or Color Photography. There will, however, be five classes of digital imaging (classes 31-35).**

Black and White Prints

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| 1. Single Portrait (formal) | 9. Architecture (interior or exterior) |
| 2. Single Portrait (candid) | 10. Design or Pattern (multi-image, fireworks, or abstracts) |
| 3. Group Portrait | 11. Novelty - humor |
| 4. Landscape | 12. Damascus Community Fair |
| 5. Sports | 13. Other |
| 6. Activity (other than sports) | 14. Story board (2 - 5 pictures) |
| 7. Still Life | 15. Other – (by person 65 or older) |
| 8. Animals (pets, farm or wildlife) | |

Color Prints

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| 16. Single Portrait (formal) | 24. Architecture (interior or exterior) |
| 17. Single Portrait (candid) | 25. Design or Pattern (multi-image, fireworks, or abstracts) |
| 18. Group Portrait | 26. Novelty - humor |
| 19. Landscape | 27. Damascus Community Fair |
| 20. Sports | 28. Other |
| 21. Activity (other than sports) | 29. Story Board (2 - 5 pictures) |
| 22. Still Life | 30. Other – (by person 65 or older) |
| 23. Animals (pets, farm or wildlife) | |

Digital Photography

All images submitted in the digital imaging category should contain a copy of the original, unaltered image(s), as well as the final print (the original image can be as small as 3 1/5 x 5, and should be not mounted, they are just to analyze the degree of manipulation necessary to produce the final print). All of the final prints should be mounted and reflect the same rules as in the Color, and Black & White categories.

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| 31. Manipulation (limited to 1 page) | 34. Manipulation and Utilization of multiple images in a final print |
| 32. Repair (describe repair) | 35. Text Photography Combination |
| 33. Colorization | |

HOME ARTS DEPARTMENTS

Needlework Section J.

Co-Superintendents:	Terri Tubergen	301-253-5848
	Jane Bancroft	301-774-3521

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. Articles must have been completed in the past year.
3. Articles must be clean.
4. Articles must be handmade with a needle or a hook.
5. All pictures are to be framed, backed and ready to hang. All other exhibits are to be done (finished) and ready to hang, display or use.
6. Where indicated, size means the size of the design worked, for example, a design is the same size whether framed in a 4" x 6" frame or triple matted and framed in an 11" x 14" frame.

Crocheting

1. Afghan, blocks
2. Afghan, shell
3. Afghan, ripple
4. Afghan, strips
5. Afghan, granny
6. Afghan, afghan stitch
7. Afghan, large, other, except any of the above
8. Afghan, child's, shell
9. Afghan, child's, ripple
10. Afghan, child's other, except any of the above
11. Baby Blanket
12. Gloves/Mittens
13. Fingerless Gloves
14. Hat, Adult
15. Hat, Child
16. Hat, Infant
17. Vest/Shawl
18. Shawlette
19. Poncho/Ruana
20. Scarf
21. Cowl
22. Accessory Set, 2 or more pieces
23. Sweater, infant
24. Sweater, child
25. Sweater set, infant (sweater and hat/booties)
26. Sweater, adult
27. Shrug
28. Crocheted Lace Item
29. Socks
30. Booties
31. Toy/Amigurumi

32. Doll with crocheted clothing (may have more than one outfit, but only 1 doll)
33. Doll Blanket
34. Doily
35. Christmas Item, Small
36. Christmas Item, Large
37. Halloween Item, Small
38. Halloween Item, Large
39. Other Holiday Item, Small
40. Other Holiday Item, Large
41. Pillow, one or a pair
42. Item crocheted with bead or sequins
43. Tote/grocery bag
44. Purse
45. Dishcloth
46. Potholder
47. First Project
48. Made by person 65 years or older
49. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Knitting

50. Afghan, blocks
51. Afghan, embroidered
52. Afghan, shell
53. Afghan, ripple
54. Afghan, strips
55. Afghan, large, other, except any of the above
56. Afghan, child's shell
57. Afghan, child's ripple
58. Afghan, child's other, except any of the above
59. Baby blanket
60. Gloves/Mittens
61. Fingerless Gloves
62. Hat, Adult
63. Hat, Child
64. Hat, Infant
65. Vest/Shawl
66. Shawlette
67. Scarf
68. Cowl
69. Accessory Set, 2 or more pieces
70. Sweater, infant
71. Sweater, child
72. Sweater set, infant (sweater and hat/booties)
73. Sweater, adult
74. Shrug
75. Knitted Lace Item
76. Socks
77. Tote/Grocery Bag
78. Dishcloth
79. Potholder
80. Purse
81. Booties

82. Toy/Amigurumi
83. Doll with knitted clothing (may have more than one outfit, but only ONE doll)
84. Doll Blanket
85. Doily
86. Christmas Item, Small
87. Christmas Item, Large
88. Halloween Item, Small
89. Halloween Item, Large
90. Other Holiday Item, Small
91. Other Holiday Item, Large
92. Pillow, one or a pair
93. Item knitted with beads or sequins
94. Loom Knit – Hat
95. Loom Knit – Scarf
96. Loom Knit – Other
97. Arm Knitted Item
98. Finger Knitted Item
99. First Project
100. Made by person 65 years or older
101. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Counted Thread or Cross-Stitch

(Exhibits must be backed, framed and ready to hang)

102. Birds, Animals, Fish (7" and under)
103. Birds, Animals, Fish (over 7")
104. Fruit or Flowers (7" and under)
105. Fruit or Flowers (over 7")
106. People or Angels (7" and under)
107. People or Angels (over 7")
108. Fantasy (7" and under)
109. Fantasy (over 7")
110. Transportation (7" and under)
111. Transportation (over 7")
112. Buildings, Architecture (7" and under)
113. Buildings, Architecture (over 7")
114. Landscape (7" and under)
115. Landscape (over 7")
116. Christmas Picture (10" and under)
117. Christmas Picture (over 10")
118. Halloween Picture (10" and under)
119. Halloween Picture (over 10")
120. Blackwork
121. Other Holiday Picture
122. Sampler (under 7")
123. Sampler (7" to 12")
124. Sampler (over 12")
125. Reproduction of Historical Sampler (7" and under)
126. Reproduction of Historical Sampler (over 7")
127. Sampler using other than cross-stitch (i.e.: hardanger, black work, pulled thread) - one entry per technique allowed
128. Short Phrase
129. Saying
130. Announcement

131. Pair of Pictures – matching or coordinating
132. Religious Theme
133. Patriotic Theme
134. Item with beads
135. Stitched over 1, 28 count fabric and higher
136. Miniature – stitched area under 3” in either direction
137. First Project
138. Made by person 65 years and older TWO entries allowed
139. Group Project
140. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Counted Thread or Cross-Stitch *(no framed work)*

141. Beadwork
142. Christmas item, small
143. Christmas item, large
144. Halloween item, small
145. Halloween item, large
146. Other Holiday item
147. Exhibit attached to wood or plastic, small
148. Exhibit attached to wood or plastic, large
149. Pillow, one or a pair
150. Wall Hanging, small
151. Wall Hanging, large
152. Any item worked on waste canvas
153. Hardanger
154. Blackwork
155. Afghan
156. Tablecloth
157. Baby item
158. Child item
159. Patriotic Item
160. Bookmark
161. Magnet
162. Pin
163. Coasters (two or more)
164. Stitched over 1 (28-count fabric and higher)
165. Small Needlework Accessory (i.e. needle roll, scissor weight)
166. First Project
167. Made by person 65 years or older
168. Group Project
169. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Quilts *(All quilts must contain three layers: quilt top, batting, and backing.)*

170. Antique with story
171. Appliqué
172. Cathedral window
173. Child's
174. Tied
175. Miniature
176. Pot holder or other small item
177. Coasters (2 or more)
178. Table runner or other medium item
179. Quilted Bag

180. Doll Quilt
181. Patchwork
182. Sampler (all squares different)
183. Whole Cloth
184. Any Item Hand Quilted
185. Machine made
186. Wall Hanging
187. Pillow, one or a pair
188. Other small quilted item, including clothing
189. Group Project
190. First Project
191. Made by person 65 years or older
192. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Needlework on Canvas

193. Fruit or Flowers (7" and under)
194. Fruit or Flowers (over 7")
195. People or Angels (7" and under)
196. People or Angels (over 7")
197. Birds, Animals, Fish (7" and under)
198. Birds, Animals, Fish (over 7")
199. Transportation (7" and under)
200. Transportation (over 7")
201. Abstract (7" and under)
202. Abstract (over 7")
203. Fantasy (7" and under)
204. Fantasy (over 7")
205. Buildings, Architecture (7" and under)
206. Buildings. Architecture (over 7")
207. Saying
208. Stitch Sampler (7" and under)
209. Stitch Sampler (over 7")
210. Pillow, one or pair
211. Coasters (2 or more)
212. Belt or Pet Collar
213. First Project in Needlepoint on Canvas
214. Needlepoint on Canvas, Other
215. Needlepoint on Silk Gauze
216. Plastic Canvas – Christmas Item
217. Plastic Canvas – Halloween
218. Plastic Canvas – other Holiday
219. Plastic Canvas – box
220. Plastic Canvas, small item (i.e. Magnet)
221. Plastic Canvas – medium item (i.e. place mat)
222. Plastic Canvas – large item
223. First project in Plastic Canvas
224. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Other Techniques *(exhibits may or may not be framed)*

225. Crewel Picture
226. Crewel Pillow
227. Appliqué, not quilted
228. Wool Felt

229. Spun Skein of Yarn
230. Candlewicking
231. Stumpwork
232. Temari
233. Perforated Paper
234. Needlepunch – 3” and under
235. Needlepunch – over 3”
236. Knotted Embroidery
237. Stamped Embroidery
238. Swedish Embroidery
239. Embroidery, small, i.e. pillowcase, one or a pair
240. Embroidery, large, i.e. tablecloth
241. Hooked item, not a rug
242. Hooked Rug
243. Braided Item, not a rug
244. Braided rug
245. Latch Hook – must be bound
246. Tatting – doily
247. Tatting – other
248. Bobbin lace
249. Battenburg lace
250. Other lace
251. Weaving – hand towels or place mats
252. Weaving – other
253. Smocking, small (i.e. Bonnet)
254. Smocking on a garment
255. Silk Ribbon Embroidery
256. Metal Work Embroidery
257. Beading not on Fabric
258. First Project in any “other technique”
259. Group Project
260. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Felting

261. Knitted Item, felted
262. Crocheted item, felted
263. Needle felted item
264. Holiday Felted Item, please state technique
265. First project
266. Other, except any of the above (may enter more than one item)

Special Class – CHARITY ITEM

Examples: baby hats, chemo hats, lap robes, etc., using **any needlework technique**.

- ***Item will become the property of the fair and distributed to local charities. Please indicate if there is a specific address for the item to be sent.***
- ***Premium and ribbon are the property of the exhibitor.***
- **EXHIBITORS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ENTER MORE THAN ONCE!**

Canned Products Section K.

Superintendent:

Meredith Smith

301-948-7447

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. All canned products must be in standard canning jars with rings. Mayonnaise jars and jars without rings will be disqualified. Lids and rings must be rust free and clean. All jars must be clean.
3. Canned fruits, pickles, vegetables, and meats must be exhibited in clear standard quart or pint jars with lids and rings.
4. Canned jellies, jams, preserves, marmalades and butters must be exhibited in clear standard pint, 1/2 pint, or jelly jars. No paraffin!
5. Pickles, jellies, jams, preserves, marmalades and butters may be opened by the judges for judging. However, *any* canned goods may be opened during judging.

Fruits

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| 1. Apples | 9. Peaches |
| 2. Applesauce | 10. Pears |
| 3. Blackberries | 11. Raspberries |
| 4. Blueberries | 12. Pie Fillings |
| 5. Cherries, dark, unpitted | 13. Collection - 5 different fruits
(separate jars) |
| 6. Cherries, red, pitted | 14. Other |
| 7. Grape Juice | |
| 8. Grapes | |

Vegetables

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|-----------------------------------|--|
| 15. Asparagus | 30. Squash |
| 16. Beets | 31. Stringbeans, green |
| 17. Broccoli | 32. Stringbeans, yellow |
| 18. Carrots | 33. Succotash |
| 19. Corn, cut off the cob | 34. Tomatoes, broken, red |
| 20. Corn on the cob | 35. Tomatoes, broken, yellow |
| 21. Lima Beans | 36. Tomatoes, whole, red |
| 22. Mixed Vegetables | 37. Tomatoes, whole, yellow |
| 23. Peas | 38. Tomato Juice, red |
| 24. Peppers | 39. Tomato Juice, yellow |
| 25. Pumpkins | 40. Tomato Sauce |
| 26. Rhubarb | 41. Collection - 5 different vegetables
(separate jars) |
| 27. Sauerkraut | 42. Other |
| 28. Soup mixture | |
| 29. Spaghetti Sauce, without meat | |

Meats

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|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| 43. Beef | 47. Pork |
| 44. Chicken | 48. Pork Sausage |
| 45. Chicken, boned | 49. Spaghetti Sauce with meat |
| 46. Mincemeat | 50. Other |

Pickles and Relishes

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|----------------------|------------------------------|
| 51. Bread and Butter | 61. Dill (may be a year old) |
| 52. Beets | 62. Dilly beans |
| 53. Catsup | 63. Mustard Pickle |
| 54. Chili Sauce | 64. Pepper Relish |
| 55. Chow Chow | 65. Sweet Mixed Pickles |
| 56. Chutney | 66. Tomato |
| 57. Corn Relish | 67. Watermelon |
| 58. Crabapple | 68. Zucchini |
| 59. Cucumber, sour | 69. Salsa |
| 60. Cucumber, sweet | 70. Other |

Jellies

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|----------------|----------------------|
| 71. Apricot | 79. Peach |
| 72. Blackberry | 80. Plum |
| 73. Cherry | 81. Quince |
| 74. Crabapple | 82. Raspberry, black |
| 75. Currant | 83. Raspberry, red |
| 76. Elderberry | 84. Strawberry |
| 77. Grape | 85. Freezer Jellies |
| 78. Mint | 86. Other |

Jams

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|----------------|----------------------|
| 87. Apricot | 94. Raspberry, black |
| 88. Blackberry | 95. Raspberry, red |
| 89. Blueberry | 96. Strawberry |
| 90. Cherry | 97. Freezer Jams |
| 91. Grape | 98. Mixed Fruit |
| 92. Peach | 99. Other |
| 93. Plum | |

Preserves

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|------------------|-----------------------|
| 100. Apricot | 106. Raspberry, black |
| 101. Blackberry | 107. Raspberry, red |
| 102. Cherry | 108. Strawberry |
| 103. Damson Plum | 109. Mixed Fruit |
| 104. Grape | 110. Other |
| 105. Peach | |

Marmalades and Butters

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|----------------------|----------------------------|
| 111. Apple butter | 115. Orange marmalade |
| 112. Peach butter | 116. Mixed Fruit marmalade |
| 113. Grape marmalade | 117. Other |
| 114. Peach marmalade | |

Dried Foods

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|-------------------|---------------|
| 118. Apples | 123. Peppers |
| 119. Apricots | 124. Squash |
| 120. Grapes | 125. Tomatoes |
| 121. Meat (jerky) | 126. Herb |
| 122. Onions | 127. Other |

Cake - Whole Cake

1. Angel food
2. Applesauce
3. Carrot
4. Cheesecake
5. Chiffon
6. Chocolate
7. Coconut
8. Devil's Food
9. Fruitcake
10. Jelly Roll
11. Lemon
12. Marble
13. Pound
14. Red Velvet
15. Spice
16. Sponge
17. Yellow
18. Cake Pops (6)
19. Healthy Choices - see Rule 9
20. Other, except any of the above

Decorated Cake

21. Cake using shaped pan
22. Novelty cake, non-tube decorated
23. Novelty cake, tube decorated
24. Decorated cake, any shape, representing the Damascus Community Fair
25. Decorated cupcakes and cake pops (6)

Cookies

26. Bar (6)
27. Biscotti (6)
28. Brownies (6)
29. Chocolate (6)
30. Chocolate Chip (6)
31. Chocolate Chip Plus (6)
32. Cookie baked in microwave (6)
33. Drop (6)
34. Filled (6)
35. Gingersnaps (6)
36. Machine pressed (6)
37. No bake (6)
38. Oatmeal (6)
39. Peanut butter (6)
40. Refrigerator (6)
41. Sugar (6)
42. Snickerdoodles (6)
43. Healthy Choices - See Rule 9 (6)
44. Other, except any of the above (6)

Candies—Hand-Dipped Chocolate

45. Cream Center with nuts (6)
46. Fruit Center (6)
47. Healthy Choices – See Rule 9 (6)
48. Other, except any of the above (6)

Candies — Molded Chocolate

49. (Fruit) Cream center (6)
50. Solid (6)
51. Healthy Choices - See Rule 9 (6)
52. Other, except any of the above (6)

Candies — Confectionery Coating

53. Hand dipped, any center (6)
54. Molded, cream center (6)
55. Molded, solid (6)
56. Healthy Choices - See Rule 9 (6)

Candies — Fudge

57. Chocolate nut (6)
58. Chocolate plain, traditional, temperature controlled (6)
59. Peanut butter (6)
60. White (6)
61. Maple/brown sugar/maple nut (6)
62. Healthy Choice - See Rule 9 (6)
63. Other, except any of the above

Candies — Miscellaneous

- 64. Buttermints (6)
- 65. Caramel, light (6)
- 66. Cream cheese mints (6)
- 67. Divinity (6)
- 68. Hard (6)
- 69. Microwave (6)
- 70. Nut brittle (6)
- 71. Pralines (6)
- 72. Truffle (6)
- 73. Healthy Choice - See Rule 9 (6)
- 74. Other, except any of the above (6)

Pies (Whole Pie)

- 75. Apple
- 76. Blueberry
- 77. Cherry
- 78. Chocolate
- 79. Lemon Meringue
- 80. Peach
- 81. Pecan
- 82. Pumpkin
- 83. Healthy Choice - See Rule 9
- 84. Other, except any of the above

Quick Breads

- 85. Biscuits (6)
- 86. Gingerbread
- 87. Loaf, banana
- 88. Loaf, other fruit
- 89. Loaf, pumpkin
- 90. Loaf, zucchini
- 91. Loaf, other vegetable
- 92. Muffins, fruit (6)
- 93. Muffins, non-traditional flour (e.g., almond, oat, corn, etc.) (6)
- 94. Muffins, plain (6)
- 95. Muffins, vegetable (6)
- 96. Coffee Cake
- 97. Healthy Choices – See Rule 9 (6 - if muffin or biscuit)
- 85. Other, except any of the above (6 - if muffin or biscuit)

Yeast Breads

- 99. Braided bread
- 100. Danish pastry
- 101. Loaf, white
- 102. Loaf, whole wheat
- 103. Loaf, other flour
- 104. Machine bread, white (whole loaf)
- 105. Machine bread, other grain (whole loaf)
- 106. Rolls, wheat (6)
- 107. Rolls, sweet (6)
- 108. Rolls, white (6)
- 109. Swedish Tea Ring
- 110. Sweet Bread
- 111. Healthy Choice - See Rule 9
- 112. Other, except any of the above

Home Sewing Section M.

Superintendent: JoAnne Leatherman 301-253-5469

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. All entries are to be cleaned and well pressed.
3. Have all hangable entries on wire hangers (*no plastic ones, please*).
4. Child and teen entries are to have number of years of sewing experience written on entry tag in entry description.
5. Pattern guidesheets may be attached to help judges.
6. All entries in this department must be machine or hand sewn except

those in “No-Sew Fleece” Section. Purchased garments that have been decorated are to be entered in the Handcrafts, Section E.

Clothing Accessories

1. Aprons, basic (no ruffles, pieced designs, etc.)
2. Aprons, fancy
3. Fabric jewelry, scarves, scrunchies, bows, headbands, etc.
4. Hats
5. Infant accessories (bibs, bonnets, etc.)
6. Simple Tote bags or purse: Tote bag or purse made from basic cotton/ cotton blend fabric with handles or drawstring; no pockets, flaps or other fancy decorations. Class may be subdivided if there are more than 5 entries.
7. Advanced Tote bags or purse: Tote bag or purse with pocket(s), zipper, flaps or other similar features and/or made from quilted or other special fabrics with or without handles; class may be sub-divided if there are more than 5 entries.
8. Sewing Baskets – contents to include a minimum of pins, needles, thread, tape measure, scissors, a fabric marker (To be sub-divided handmade and bought basket)
9. Stitching Sample books (Presented in notebook form, 6 new samples minimum each year, graphics optional)
10. Wedding accessories (purse, garter, headpiece, etc.)
11. Other fabric accessory, except any of the above

Basic Garments

11. Blouse, top, shirt or dress, sleeveless or with sleeves cut on
12. Blouse, top, shirt or dress, with collar and/or sleeves
13. Costume, simple
14. Garment made from a kit (pre-stamped fabric, outerwear kit, etc.)
15. Jumper or jumpsuit
16. Knit method garment (sweatshirt, t-shirt, etc., made from sweatshirt or interlock knit fabric).
17. Skirt, wrap
18. Slacks, shorts, skirt, etc., with elastic casing
19. Slacks, shorts, skirt, etc., with fitted waistband
20. Sleep attire (robe, pajamas, etc.)
21. Vest
22. First garment sewn
23. Other basic garment, except any of the above

Doll Clothing

24. Individual garment, plain
25. Individual garment, fancy
26. Two-piece ensemble that goes together
27. Costume (*more than one entry accepted in this class*)
28. Three or more piece ensemble
29. Accessories (ex. doll blanket)
30. Other doll clothing, except any of the above

Advanced Garments

31. Blouse or shirt, fancy (extra trims, ruffles, tucks, etc.)
32. Coat or jacket, lined

33. Coat or jacket, unlined
34. Constructed garment with original decorations (embroidery, appliqué, stenciling, etc.)
35. Costume, Renaissance or period
36. Dress, better
37. Dress, formal
38. Garment made from fabric requiring matching
39. Lingerie (one-piece or a set)
40. Recycled Garment (garment made from previously used fabric/garment)
41. Skirt or pants (lined)
42. Sun or bathing suit
43. Wedding gown
44. Other advanced garment, except any of the above

Ensembles

45. Costume, Ensemble (2 or more pieces)
46. Dress (two piece that coordinate)
47. Dress, with jacket
48. Knit method outfit (sweatsuit, leggings with t-shirt, etc.)
49. Mix and match (outfit with 3 or more pieces)
50. Suit (skirt or pants with lined jacket)
51. Suit (skirt or pants with unlined jacket)
52. Two-piece outfit (skirt/pants with blouse, shirt or vest that go together)
53. Other ensemble, except any of the above

Home Accessories

54. Miniature home accessories (8" or less - ornaments, wreathes, mini-quilts, etc. - must be machine sewn)
55. Banner (must be at least partially sewn, include pole for hanging)
56. Bedspreads, lap robes
57. Curtains, drapes, valances
58. Pillow, animal or character design
59. Pillow, creative (appliqué, quilted, etc.)
60. Pillows, plain
61. Pillows, with ruffles or extra trim sewn around edges
62. Pillowcase (1)
63. Placemats (set of at least 2)
64. Storage items (toaster cover, fabric lined basket, etc.)
65. Other home accessory, except any of the above

Fleece (No Sew)

66. Blanket or lap robe with fringe
67. Pillow with tied fringe
68. Poncho
69. Other fleece item

Special Class – CHARITY ITEM

- ***Item will become the property of the fair and distributed to local charities. Please indicate if there is a specific address for the item to be sent. Premium and ribbon are the property of the exhibitor.***
- **EXHIBITORS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ENTER MORE THAN ONCE!**
- 70. Clothing Accessory (chemo hats, adult bibs, walker caddies, etc.)
- 71. Home Accessory (lap robe, pillow, stomach pillow, etc.)



**Register
By
August 31**

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. Each exhibitor may enter 2 animals per class.
3. There is no entry fee for any exhibit.
4. **Livestock Entry Forms (beef, dairy, sheep, swine, and goats) are required to be mailed. Entry forms must be mailed and postmarked no later than August 31, 2016. No hand-delivered or late entry forms will be accepted. One entry form per species.** Forms may be obtained at: Four County Animal Hospital (across from McDonalds in Damascus); Cedar Grove Southern States; from Tom Smith at 240-674-7420; or printed off the website at www.damascusfair.org. Mail entries to: **Damascus Community Fair, P.O. Box 531, Damascus, MD 20872. No Pre-School Age Livestock Entries.**
5. **All entries must be in accordance with State Health Regulations. STAMPED HEALTH PAPERS MUST BE ATTACHED TO ENTRY FORM.**
6. **All exhibitors MUST PRESENT SELF-CERTIFICATION form to superintendent on the day of arrival, as per MDA rules for 2016.**
7. **Exhibitors are responsible for removal of bedding.**
8. Participation awards of \$6.00 per animal will be paid on dairy, beef, sheep, swine, and goat entries, provided the revenue is available. A maximum of ten participation awards will be paid to any one exhibitor.
9. All animals must be shown by their fitter except where two animals are shown in the same class.
10. Animals must be "show ring ready" to receive premiums or participation awards.
11. Exhibitors will be responsible for their animals at all times.
12. All entries must be on the grounds and checked in 1 hour prior to show time.
13. All livestock premiums will be paid via check and mailed to exhibitors following the Fair.
14. Child, teen, and adult age divisions apply **only** to Fitting and Showing classes. Children 6 and under must have a proper mentor assisting.
15. Exhibitors in the Damascus Livestock Club shows must be club members in good standing.
16. Classes may be changed at superintendent's discretion based on number of entries.
17. Purebred animals must be registered with breed associations and papers are to be available at the show.

Dairy Cattle (Sunday)

Superintendent: Laurie Zimmerman Savage 301-349-0750

1. Fitting and Showing
2. Spring Heifer Calf 03/01/16 - 05/15/16
3. Winter Calf 12/01/15 - 02/29/16
4. Fall Calf 09/01/15 - 11/30/15
5. Summer Yearling Heifer 06/01/15 - 08/31/15
6. Spring Yearling Heifer 03/01/15 - 05/31/15
7. Winter Yearling Heifer 12/01/14 - 02/28/15
8. Fall Yearling Heifer 09/01/14 - 11/30/14
9. Cow, Junior 2 yr. old 03/01/14 - 08/31/14
10. Cow, Senior 2 yr. old 09/01/13 - 02/28/14
11. Cow, Junior 3 yr. old 03/01/13 - 08/31/13
12. Cow, Senior 3 yr. old 09/01/12 - 02/28/13
13. Cow, Aged - 4 yrs. 09/01/11 - 08/31/12
14. Cow, Aged - 5 yrs. and older before 09/01/11
15. Dry Cow - 3 yrs. and older
16. Dam and Daughter
17. Junior Champion/Senior Champion
18. Grand Champion/Reserve Champion
19. Jr./Sr. Supreme Champion all Breeds
20. Pretty Cow

Beef Cattle (Saturday)

Superintendent: Mike Hunt 301-253-3846

Open Show - Purebred by Breed Females

1. Junior Heifer Calf 01/01/16 - 02/29/16
2. Winter Heifer Calf 11/01/15 - 12/31/15
3. Late Summer Yearling 07/01/15 - 08/31/15
4. Early Summer Yearling 05/01/15 - 06/30/15
5. April Junior Yearling 04/01/15 - 04/30/15
6. March Junior Yearling 03/01/15 - 03/31/15
7. Early Junior Yearling 01/01/15 - 02/28/15
8. Grand/Reserve Champion Heifer

Damascus Livestock Club Steer Show - Purebred by Breed

9. Showmanship
10. Angus
11. Hereford
12. Shorthorn
13. Crossbred & Other Breeds
14. Dairy Steer
15. Grand/Reserve Champion Steer

Note: Steer classes will be based on number and weight of entries per breed.

Swine (Saturday)

Superintendent: Doug Lechliden 301-482-1201

Open Show - Purebred by Breed

1. Sow, Senior Before 10/01/10
2. Sow, Junior 10/01/15 - 12/31/15
3. Gilt, January 01/01/16 - 01/31/16
4. Gilt, February 02/01/16 - 02/28/16
5. Gilt, Early March 03/01/16 - 03/15/16
6. Gilt, Later March 03/16/16 - 03/31/16
7. Gilt, April 04/01/16 - 04/30/16
8. Grand/Reserve Champion Female
9. Barrow, Light Weight After 02/15/16
10. Barrow, Light Weight Pair After 02/15/16
11. Barrow, Heavy Weight After 02/15/16
12. Barrow, Heavy Weight Pair After 02/15/16
13. Grand/Reserve Champion Barrow

Damascus Livestock Club Market Hog Show - All Breeds Show Together

14. Showmanship
15. Market Hog, Light Weight After 02/15/16
16. Market Hog, Medium Weight After 02/15/16
17. Market Hog, Heavy Weight After 02/15/16
18. Grand/Reserve Champion Market Hog

Sheep (Saturday)

Superintendent: Stephanie Scuderi 301-219-9629

Open Show - Purebred by Breed

1. Ram Senior Lamb 09/01/15 - 12/31/15
2. Ram, Junior Lamb After 01/01/16
3. Pair of Ram Lambs Under 1 year
4. Ram 1 yr. and under 2 yrs.
5. Grand/Reserve Champion Ram
6. Ewe, Senior Lamb 09/01/15 - 12/31/15
7. Ewe, Junior Lamb after 01/01/16
8. Pair of Ewe Lambs Under 1 year
9. Twin Lambs Under 1 year
10. Ewe, Yearling 1 yr. and under 2 yrs.
11. Grand/Reserve Champion Ewe
12. Flock, 1 Ram Lamb and 2 Ewe Lambs

Damascus Livestock Club Market Lamb Show - All Breeds Show Together

13. Fitting & Showing
 - A. Junior (8 - 12 years)
 - B. Senior (13-18 years)
14. Market Lamb, Light Weight 100 - 130 lbs.
15. Market Lamb, Medium Weight 131 - 140 lbs.
16. Market Lamb, Heavy Weight 141 - 150 lbs.
17. Pair of Market Lambs
18. Grand/Reserve Champion Market Lamb

Goats (Sunday)

Superintendent: Anne Clagett 301-414-7575

Groupings for classes 2-9 will be determined after all entries are received. Breeds included will be Saanen, Alpine, Toggenburg, Nubian, La Mancha, Oberhasli, Recorded Grade and Nigerian Dwarf. Some breeds may be grouped in an AOP (all other purebred) class.

Goat Classes:

1. Fitting and Showing
 - a. Senior (age 14 - 18)
 - b. Junior (age 8 - 13)
 - c. Novice (age 7 and below, or no show experience)
 - d. Adult (age 19 and over)
2. Kid (under 1 year)
3. Dry Yearling (1 yr and under 2 yrs.)
4. Junior Champion
5. Milking Yearling (under 2 years)
6. Doe in Milk (2 yrs. & under 3 yrs.)
7. Doe in Milk (3 yrs. & under 5 yrs.)
8. Doe in Milk (5 yrs. and over)
9. Senior Champion
10. Best Junior Doe in Show
11. Best Doe in Show

Meat Goats

Superintendent: Michele Cropp 301-253-1547

Boers, other meat goat breeds and commercial meat goats. Only Does permitted in breeding classes. Bucks must be castrated to show in market goat class.

Classes:

1. Showmanship
 - a. Junior (12 and under)
 - b. Senior (13 and older)
2. Junior Kids (born after 3/15/16)
3. Intermediate Kids (born 1/01/15 – 12/31/150)
4. Yearlings under 2 years
5. 2 Year Olds
6. 3 Year Olds
7. 4 Year Olds
8. Jr. Champion & Reserve Jr. Champion
9. Sr. Champion & Reserve Sr. Champion
10. Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion

Fowl Department Section O.

**Register
By
August 31**

Superintendent:
Assistant:

Lonnie Luther
Robert Malone

301-253-6084

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. Each exhibitor may enter two (2) animals per class, per breed.
3. **Entry forms must be mailed and postmarked by August 31, 2016 to: Damascus Community Fair, P.O. Box 531, Damascus, MD 20872.**
4. Only healthy fowl, in accordance with State Health Regulations, may be shown.
5. All breeds will be shown separately if entries warrant it.
6. Classes will be added if entries warrant their additions.
7. Entries released Sunday, September 13th, 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM.
8. Exhibitor **NOT** responsible for food and water.
9. Cages will be furnished.
10. A trio is defined as two females and one male.
11. Classes are as follows:

Please note: In 2015, the Maryland Department of Agriculture prohibited the exhibition of fowl to prevent the spread of Avian Influenza. At the time of this catalog's publication, fowl exhibition will be allowed for 2016. The Damascus Community Fair follows all MDA directives regarding the exhibition of fowl, and reserves the right to disallow the exhibition of fowl at any time.

Chickens

1. Individual Cockerel (hatched after 01/01/16)
2. Individual Pullet (hatched after 01/01/16)
3. Individual Cock (hatched before 01/01/16)
4. Individual Hen (hatched before 01/01/16)
5. Trio

Bantams (Any Breed)

6. Individual Cockerel (hatched after 01/01/16)
7. Individual Pullet (hatched after 01/01/16)
8. Individual Cock (hatched before 01/01/16)
9. Individual Hen (hatched before 01/01/16)
10. Trio

Ducks (Any Breed)

11. Individual Male
12. Individual Female
13. Trio

Turkeys (Any Breed)

14. Individual Male
15. Individual Female
16. Trio

13. Entries released Sunday, September 11th, 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

**ALL PETS should be adequately controlled
— by container, leash or cage —
for the welfare of your pet.**

Rabbits (Any breed)

1. Senior Buck (over 8 months)
2. Senior Doe (over 8 months)
3. Intermediate Buck (6 – 8 months)
4. Intermediate Doe (6 – 8 months)
5. Junior Buck (under 6 months)
6. Junior Doe (under 6 months)

Guinea Pigs (Any breed)

7. Senior Boar (over 6 months)
8. Senior Sow (over 6 months)
9. Junior Boar (under 6 months)
10. Junior Sow (under 6 months)

Pet Show

**Register
By
August 31**

Superintendent:

Pat Skipton

301-253-6808

1. Pre-registration is preferred.
2. Pre-registration should be mailed and postmarked by August 31, 2016 to: **Pat Skipton, 25017 Woodfield Road, Damascus, MD 20872.**
3. Owners are responsible for the safe transport of animals and for the behavior of their pets on the show grounds.
4. Maximum age for handlers is 18 years old. Parents are urged to be available to assist children under the age of 8.
5. Animals will be judged on grooming, condition, and handling, and as noted in special classes.
6. The minimum age for cats and dogs is 4 months.
7. **ALL** animals must be in good health. Dogs and cats over 4 months of age must have a current rabies vaccination.
8. Neutered and spayed pets are encouraged to enter and will be judged along with intact animals.
9. Pre-entry forms may be obtained at Woodfield Veterinary Clinic or Four County Animal Hospital.
10. Damascus Community Fair offers a premium of one (1) gold dollar for participation in the pet show.

SATURDAY'S PET SHOW

Pet Check-In 2:00 PM

Show Starts 2:30 PM

Kittens (4 months to 12 months)

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| 1. Largest Kitten | 4. Most Colorful Kitten |
| 2. Smallest Kitten | 5. Most Loving Kitten |
| 3. Kitten with Prettiest Face | 6. Best Groomed Kitten |

Cats (1 year and older)

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| 7. Oldest Cat | 11. Best Groomed Cat |
| 8. Youngest Cat | 12. Best Cat & Handler |
| 9. Cat with Prettiest Face | 13. Cat with the Longest Tail |
| 10. Most Unusual Cat | |

Snakes, Lizards and Turtles

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| 14. Best Color | 15. Most Unusual |
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Birds

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| 16. Best Color | 17. Prettiest Feathers | 18. Most Vocal |
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Special Costume Category (for Saturday's Animals)

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| 19. Most Famous Pair | 20. Best Costumed Animal & Handler in Show |
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Turtles

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| 21. Turtle Race | 22. Most Entertaining |
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Hamsters and Gerbils

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| 23. Best Hair | 24. Friendliest |
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Rabbits & Guinea Pigs

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| 25. Best Wool or Hair | 27. Friendliest |
| 26. Best Color | 28. Wiggliest Nose |

Hermit Crabs

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| 29. Crab Race | 30. Prettiest Shell |
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SUNDAY'S PET SHOW

Pet Check-In 12:30 PM

Show Starts 1:00 PM

Dogs

1. Youngest Dog
2. Oldest Dog
3. Most Colorful Dog
4. Dog with Shortest Tail
5. Dog with Longest Ears
6. Dog with Loudest Voice
7. Most Obedient Dog
8. Best Groomed Dog
9. Dog with Best Handler
10. Dog with Best Trick
11. Most Regular Dog

Special Costume Category (for Sunday's Animals)

12. Most Famous Pair
13. Best Costumed Animal & Handler in Show

Hermit Crabs

14. Crab Race
15. Prettiest Shell

Kid's Fun Run

Superintendent: Sandy Spring Bank 301-774-6400

The 28th Annual Kid's Fun Run, sponsored by Sandy Spring National Bank of MD, will be held on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at 8:00 AM. There will be three 1/4 mile races for children ages 5 - 8, 9 - 12 and 4 & under. Registration forms will be available at Sandy Spring Bank from August 21 - Sept. 9, 2016. Runners may also register the day of the race. Free T-shirts will be given to entrants. Refreshments will be provided to all the participants. Parents are encouraged to join young children! Every child who participates is a winner!

Grandparents' Program

Superintendent: Eloise Woodfield 301-639-0884

1. Check the Schedule of Events for date and time.
2. Recognition of all grandparents attending program.
3. Special activities, ribbons and prizes will be awarded.

Garden Tractor Pull

Superintendents:

**Kenny Miller, Jr.
Jeff Sirk**

443-683-1183

The Garden Tractor Pull will start at 1:00 PM Sunday, September 11, 2016. This event is open to all garden tractors, rear wheel drive, with rubber tires up to 25 horsepower. The tractors are hooked to a weight-transfer sled to pull for distance in different weight classes. Trophies/cash prizes will be awarded.

General Garden Tractor Pull Rules

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. The Hook Fee is \$10.00 per round; pay hook-up fees at registration desk near track prior to the start of tractor pull.
3. There will be two rounds of pulling for all classes except for youth, which will have one round.
4. All classes are to be weighed with tractor and driver ready to pull.
5. Must leave mowing deck at home.
6. Judges decision will be final on any point of controversy.
7. Any disagreement will result in disqualification.
8. Must leave mowing deck at home.
9. Classes may be added/deleted at the discretion of the superintendents.

If you have questions related to the rules and regulations, please contact Mike Lawson at 410-795-1600.

ALL SAFETY RULES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

- **All tractors must have wheelie bars to prevent turnovers.**
- **All tractors in Modified or Altered are required to have a fire extinguisher and driver must wear a DOT-approved helmet.**
- **All Tractors must have a rear kill switch.**
- **Helmets are encouraged in all classes.**
- **Anyone under 16 MUST wear a helmet.**
- **The consumption of alcohol or drug use will result in immediate barring from grounds.**

Classes:

1. Youth
2. Stock 16
3. Stock 25
4. Stock Altered
5. Governed 16
6. Governed 25
7. Twin Modified
8. Open Super Stock

Children's Coloring Contest

**ENTRIES MUST BE
MAILED AND
POSTMARKED BY
AUGUST 24**

Superintendent: Eloise Woodfield 301-639-0884

1. Contest open to children ages 10 and under (one entry per person)
2. There will be categories for each age group and a separate class for children 10 and under with special needs.
3. Picture will be available for pickup at the Damascus Library; Jimmie Cone; Damascus Community Bank; and the Hilton's Farm and Garden Stand at the Damascus High School Farmers' Market locations beginning August 10th.
4. **ONLY** the picture provided by the fair will be accepted.
5. Pictures are to be completed using **crayons only (no glitter or magic markers)**.
6. Attach a card to the back of picture with name, address, phone #, and age of child. No names are to be on the front of picture.
7. Entries are to be mailed and postmarked no later than Friday, August 24, 2016 to: Damascus Community Fair, **Coloring Contest, P.O. Box 496, Clarksburg, MD 20871.**

The 24rd annual crayon coloring contest is sponsored by the Damascus Community Fair Board.

All pictures will be on display at the fair; and winners will be posted. Prizes and pictures must be picked up between 4:00 and 6:00 PM on Sunday in the activity building at the Fair, **NO EXCEPTIONS**. All items not picked up by 6:00 PM will become the property of the Fair.

Ice Cream Making Contest

**TO REGISTER: CALL
PAUL LEATHERMAN
BY SEPTEMBER 2**

Superintendent: Paul Leatherman 301-253-5469

1. All General Rules apply; see page 10.
2. There is no entry fee.
3. Teams must consist of at least four, but no more than eight people.
4. Teams may be families, community groups or clubs.
5. Hand-cranked ice cream freezers are to be used. *(If a team does not have a hand freezer, some loaners are available. Reserve them early, as they will be available on a first come, first serve basis).*
6. All teams must provide all ingredients, including ice and rock salt.
7. A recipe of ingredients must be presented to judges on contest

- night. All recipes must be printed on 8 1/2 x 11" paper.
- Ice cream should be made with dairy products. If "French vanilla", it must use eggs. No recipe may contain raw eggs.
 - Entries should be brought on contest night.
 - Ice cream will be judged on taste and texture.
 - Mail entry forms to: **Damascus Community Fair, Attn: Ice Cream Making Contest, P.O. Box 531, Damascus, MD 20872.**

The 18th annual ice cream making contest will be held on Friday, September 9th, 2016 at 6:00 PM. All interested contestants need to register by September 2, 2016. Please contact Paul Leatherman to register.

- First, Second and Third place winners will be awarded prizes of \$20 - \$15 - \$10, respectively.
- Best appearing team.

Veggie 500 Races

Superintendent: Steven Hagberg 240-357-4236

This event will be held Friday, September 9th. Races will begin at 4:30 PM.

- Create and race a car made from vegetables.
- Vegetables and decorations will be provided; or if you prefer, bring your own special veggie.
- Chassis and track will be at the site for all to use.
- Each participant will receive a ribbon and their veggie creation.

This event is sponsored by Butler's Orchard.

Children's Pedal Tractor Pull

Superintendent: Steven Hagberg 240-357-4236

The Children's Pedal Tractor Pull, features scale-riding tractors that are replicas of full-sized, adult tractors. After practice time, children 8 years of age and under are invited to participate in a 30 ft. "pull" for distance. A modified sled that increases resistance with the length of the pull is used. Prizes are donated by L.F. Easterday. *Check the Schedule of Events for days and times.*

Patriotic Poster Contest

American Legion Project Coordinator: Jack Talamo 301-253-4457
Sponsored by the Damascus American Legion, Post 171

Schedule:

Bring poster entry Thursday, September 8th to the Damascus Volunteer Fire Department's Activity Building, 10211 Lewis Drive, Damascus, MD. Entries will be accepted between the hours of 4 PM – 8 PM. All entries will be on display September 9th, 10th, and 11th. Ribbons, special awards and posters must be picked up between 5 PM – 6 PM Sunday.

Contest Requirements:

- Only one entry per person.
- Must be original work done by the student submitting the poster..
- Open to school children/teens in Damascus and surrounding area.
- Participants will be grouped in Divisions as outlined.
- Poster Design is open choice of materials & media, but size-specific.
- **Size: 14 x 22 inches. No other sizes will be accepted.**
- Artist's name, address, phone number, school, grade level must be entered on reverse side of poster.

Patriotic Poster Contest Divisions:

- Kindergarten – 1st Grade
- 2nd – 3rd Grade
- 4th – 5th Grade
- 6th – 8th Grade

The Division judges will select the winner for their respective divisions.

See Special Awards Section for prizes offered.

2016 Damascus Community Fair Royalty Competition

Deadline to Submit Application: August 17th

1. To be eligible, you must be between 12 and 18 years old as of January 1, 2016. You must be a member of a Montgomery County 4-H/ FFA organization or a resident within the Damascus School Cluster and applicant may not hold any other title.
2. **All applications must be submitted with a wallet sized photo to the fair committee postmarked no later than August 17, 2016. Late applications cannot be accepted.**
3. No more than 6 court members will be selected from the royalty applicants. From those members, a Fair King and Queen will be named during the coronation ceremony on Friday, Sept. 9, 2016 at 7:00 PM in the Pole Barn at the Fair.
4. Be prepared to participate in various activities throughout the fair weekend.
5. Applications can be picked up at Gladhill Brothers in Damascus in July 2016.
6. Applicant may not hold any other titles.

DUTIES:

As Fair royalty, you will be required to represent the DCF throughout the fair weekend and at a couple of community events throughout the year. A detailed schedule will be given to the King and Queen following the coronation. The schedule will include, but is not limited to, passing out ribbons and awards at all livestock and pet shows, assist during the cake auction, etc. The crowned King and Queen can expect to be devoted to the fair for the full Saturday and Sunday, to take part in various activities being held. You may earn SSL hours while serving as King or Queen, but please be sure to bring the paperwork that needs to be completed with you at the conclusion of the fair.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

To represent the DCF exclusively throughout the fair and at a couple community events throughout the year. Both the King and Queen are

The Damascus Community Fair Congratulates the 2015 Special Award Winners

For Entering the Most Exhibits

Sponsored by the Damascus Lions Club

Catherine Zellers (child division)

Katie Gingrich (teen division)

For Winning the Most Blue Ribbons

Sponsored by the Damascus American Legion

Catherine Zellers (child division)

Katie Gingrich (teen division)



These awards are presented at the Annual Banquet.

- Damascus American Legion Post #171 will award \$25.00 to the child with the most blue ribbons.
- Damascus American Legion Post #171 will award \$25.00 to the teen with the most blue ribbons.
- Damascus Lions Club will award \$50.00 to the teen exhibitor with the most exhibits at the fair.
- Damascus Lions Club will award \$50.00 to the child exhibitor with the most exhibits at the fair.

Looking ahead to the 2017 Damascus Community Fair

If you would like to be a volunteer, Fair Patron, Advertiser or donate a Special Award for the 72nd Annual Community Fair please fill out the information below and send to:

*Damascus Community Fair
P.O. Box 531
Damascus, MD 20872*

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone No: _____

Email Address: _____

I'm interested in being a Volunteer:

I'm interested in donating a Special Award:

I'm interested in placing an ad in the 2017 catalog:

**Join Us At The
Damascus Community Fair
Annual Meeting**

October 13, 2016 at 6:30 PM

**Damascus Activity Center
10211 Lewis Drive, Damascus, MD**

SPECIAL AWARDS SECTION

Agricultural and Horticultural Departments

Fruits, Vegetables, Nuts and Honey

- Butler's Orchard will present a \$10.00 gift certificate to the grand champion entry in the adult division.
- Rock Hill Orchard will present a \$10.00 gift certificate to the grand champion entry in the teen division.
- Run and Play Farm will award \$10.00 to the exhibitor in the Child Division with the most blue ribbons.
- Tri State Concrete Coatings will award \$10.00 to the exhibitor in the Teen Division with the most blue ribbons.
- Gladhill Brothers, a division of Gladhill Tractor Mart, will award a \$20.00 gift certificate for the grand champion entry in the child division.
- Pen-sational Jewelry and Gifts will award \$10.00 to the exhibitor in the adult division with the most blue ribbons.
- *In Memory of Bradley Woodfield*, \$25 is awarded to the child with the Grand Champion entry in fruit and vegetables department.

Field Crops

- *In loving memory of James Day*, Sue Hilton will present a \$10.00 cash award for the tallest cornstalk.
- C.E. Gingrich & Son, LLC will present a \$10.00 cash award to the teen with the best soybean exhibit.
- C. E. Gingrich & Son, LLC will present a \$10.00 cash award to the teen with the best shelled corn exhibit.
- C.E. Gingrich & Son, LLC will present a \$10.00 cash award to the child with the best ear corn exhibit.
- Rudell Beall and Sons Grain Farmers, will award \$20.00 to the exhibitor with the most blue ribbons in field crops.

Flowers & Plants

- Members of the former Family Community Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Child's Fresh Floral Design.
- Members of the former Family Community Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Child's Potted Plant.
- Members of the former Family Community Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Child's Annual Specimen.
- Members of the former Family Community Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Child's Perennial Specimen.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Teen Fresh Floral Design.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Teen Potted Plant

- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Teen Annual Specimen.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Teen Perennial Specimen.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Teen Dried Floral Arrangement.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Adult Fresh Floral Design.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Adult Potted Plant.
- Damascus Garden Club will award \$10.00 cash to the Best Adult Annual Specimen.

Arts and Crafts Departments

Handcrafts

- Dusty Hill Farm presents a \$10.00 cash award to the child with the best entry in handmade animals.
- Dusty Hill Farm presents a \$10.00 cash award to the teen best entry in handmade animals.
- Kenny Winfield will present a cash award of \$10.00 to the best decorated pumpkin entry (age 12 and under).
- Kenny Winfield will present a cash award of \$10.00 to the best carved pumpkin entry.
- *In loving memory of Matthew Rhodes*, his Aunt Sue will present a \$10.00 cash award to the teen Grand Champion in handcrafts.
- *In loving memory of Matthew Rhodes*, his Aunt Sue will present a \$10.00 cash award to the child Grand Champion in handcrafts.
- Carolyn Corazza will award a \$10.00 cash award to the child with the most blue ribbons.

Electricity and Small Engines

- Gloria Warfield awards \$10 to the exhibitor of the Champion in Electricity in the child division.
- Gloria Warfield awards \$10 to the exhibitor of the Champion in Electricity in the teen division.
- Gloria Warfield awards \$10 to the exhibitor of the Champion in Electricity in the adult division.
- Gloria Warfield awards \$10 to the exhibitor of the Champion in Small Engines in the child division.
- Gloria Warfield awards \$10 to the exhibitor of the Champion in Small Engines in the teen division.
- Gloria Warfield awards \$10 to the exhibitor of the Champion in Small Engines in the adult division.

Educational Booths

- *In loving memory of Michael Terpilak*, his family presents a \$10.00 award to the child Grand Champion.
- *In loving memory of Michael Terpilak*, his family presents a \$10.00 award to the teen Grand Champion.

Woodworking

- *In memory of Matt Rhodes*, Mark and Sharon Rhodes present a \$10.00 award to the child with the Champion woodworking entry.
- *In memory of Matt Rhodes*, Mark and Sharon Rhodes present a \$10.00 award to the teen with the Champion woodworking entry.
- *In loving memory of Matthew Rhodes*, Edmond and Joyce Rhodes will present a \$10 cash "Judge's Choice" award in the child division.
- *In loving memory of Matthew Rhodes*, Edmond and Joyce Rhodes will present a \$10 cash "Judge's Choice" award in the teen division.

Photography

- Roby's Photo - Signs - Custom Framing is sponsoring the Best Photo Award. Winner can print image of their choice on a 16" x 20" canvas or Archival paper. www.robysphotoshop.com 301-253-1444

Home Arts Departments

Needlework

- Damascus Hairstylists will award two (2) "Judges' Choice" \$15 gift certificates: one for child or teen, one for adult.
- Damascus Hairstylists will award a \$50 gift certificate to the Grand Champion winner in Needlework.
- Patches Quilting & Sewing, Mt. Airy, will present a special award for the Champion Quilt.
- Knit Locally, Boyds, will award a "Judges' Choice" special award for an entry in Knitting or Crocheting.
- The Stitching Post, Baltimore, will award a "Judges' Choice" special award in Counted Thread or Cross Stitch.
- The Bee's Knees Custom Framing in Damascus will present a special award for Best Framed Needlework item.
- A Friend of the Fair will award \$5.00 to the best First Project by an Adult in each technique.
- A Friend of the Fair will award a "Judge's Choice" for an entry in "Other techniques".
- *In memory of Ruth E. Bancroft*, \$10 cash will be awarded to the best entry in the Special Class : Charity Item.

Canned Products

- *In memory of Ruth Proctor*, the Rossman Family presents a \$5.00 cash award to the best exhibit in child or teen category in canned goods.
- Friend of Damascus Community Fair will present a \$5.00 cash award to the child with the most blue ribbons in canned goods.
- Friend of Damascus Community Fair will present a \$5.00 cash award to the teen with the most blue ribbons in canned goods.
- Friend of Damascus Community Fair will present a \$5.00 cash award to the adult with the most blue ribbons in canned goods.
- Property Care, Inc. of Mt. Airy will present a judge's choice award in canned goods of \$10.00.
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- *In Memory of Ruth Proctor*, former Canned Products Chairman, presents an award for encouragement to continue canning and improve your products by doing and learning.

Baked Goods and Candies

- Superintendents of the Baked Goods Department will donate a \$10.00 cash award for best overall candy entry.
- Superintendents of the Baked Goods Department will donate a \$10.00 cash award for best overall decorated cake.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate to the best child muffin entry.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate to the best adult cake entry.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate to the best child cookie entry.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate for the best teen pie entry.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate for the best child candy entry.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate for the best teen cake entry.
- Weis Markets #129 will donate a gift certificate for the best adult yeast bread entry.
- *In memory of Matt Rhodes*, Mark and Sharon Rhodes will award \$10.00 to the child with the Champion baked goods entry.
- *In memory of Matt Rhodes*, Mark and Sharon Rhodes will award \$10.00 to the teen with the Champion baked goods entry.
- *In loving memory of Matt Rhodes*, Sue Hilton presents a \$10 cash award to the child exhibitor with the best Decorated Cake.
- *In loving memory of Matt Rhodes*, Sue Hilton presents a \$10 cash award to the teen exhibitor with the best Decorated Cake.

- *In loving memory of Edna Day*, Sue Hilton presents a \$10 cash award to the exhibitor with the best Yeast Rolls, White.
- *In loving memory of Edna Day*, Sue Hilton presents a \$10 cash award to the exhibitor with the best Red Velvet Cake.

Home Sewing

- *In memory of Marian Woodfield*, \$25 will be awarded to the Grand Champion entry in the Child Division of Home Sewing.
- Robert and Karen Murdock will award \$25 to the Grand Champion entry in the Teen Division of Home Sewing.
- \$25 in gift certificates will be awarded to the Grand Champion entry in the Adult Division of Home Sewing.
- Awards will be given to the class champions in each age group as donated by Fairfield Processing, Coats and Clark, Nancy's Notions, Home Sew, American and Effird, and the department superintendent.
- Mike and Alethia Woodfield will donate a gift to each participant in the Community Fair Fashion Show.

Livestock Department

To encourage Damascus Youth to exhibit their farm animals at the Damascus Community Fair, a special award of \$5.00 will be given to each child or teen exhibitor of an animal in Section O, P, and Q. Only one award per exhibitor.

Swine

- Doug and Robin Lechliden will award \$20.00 to the Senior Showmanship winner for swine.
- Doug and Robin Lechliden will award \$20.00 to the Junior Showmanship winner for swine.

Beef

- Tom and Beth Smith will award \$15.00 to the Junior Showmanship winner.
- Tom and Beth Smith will award \$15.00 to the Senior Showmanship winner.
- Tom and Beth Smith will award \$15.00 to the Grand Champion Steer.
- Tom and Beth Smith will award \$10.00 to the Reserve Champion Steer.

Goats

- The Claggett Family will offer awards to the winners of the Junior and Senior showmanship classes.

- The Claggett Family will offer awards to the exhibitor of the Best Junior Doe and Best Doe in show.
- Awards will be presented to the Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion Market Goats.

Sheep

- Fox Hollow Farm presents a \$10.00 cash award to the lamb with the longest ears.
- Fox Hollow Farm presents a \$10.00 cash award to the Junior Fitting and Showing winner.
- Fox Hollow Farm presents a \$10.00 cash award to the Senior Fitting and Showing winner.

Rabbits and Guinea Pigs

- *In memory of Maxine & Edward Beall*, Dr. Robin Keyser will present trophies to the exhibitors of the Best in Show rabbits in the adult and youth divisions.

Pet Show

- A prize will be awarded to the dog with the best handler.
- A prize to the best-groomed cat will be awarded.
- *In memory of Matt Rhodes*, Mark and Sharon Rhodes present a \$10 award to the child with the best groomed dog.
- The Skipton family will award a trophy to the winner of the hermit crab race.
- Woodfield Veterinary Clinic will award a \$25.00 gift certificate to the most obedient dog.
- Woodfield Veterinary Clinic will award a gift certificate of \$25.00 towards veterinary care for the best cat and handler.
- Damascus Veterinary Hospital will award a \$25.00 gift certificate to the youngest dog.
- Four County Animal Hospital of Damascus will award a \$25.00 gift certificate to the youngest cat.
- Fox Hollow Farm presents a \$10 cash award to the Best Costumed Animal and Handler in the show.
- Fox Hollow Farm presents a cash award to the Best Wool or Hair in Rabbits and Guinea Pigs.

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2016**

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*The Damascus Community Fair wishes to thank the Maryland
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**Thank You
Damascus Livestock Club
2015 Livestock Buyers**

Champion Steer: Damascus Community Bank and Pogo Tree Experts

Champion Lamb: Gelberg Signs and Brami Family

Champion Pig: Lecky's Lawns, Fort Landscaping, Kevin Lechluder, Carquest of Damascus, Poolesville Small Engine, Gill Fones, Terry Raines, Tim Whirley Family, and Chesapeake Valley Seed

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Club members greatly appreciate your support!

**2016 Damascus Livestock Sale
Saturday, September 10, 2016
7:00 P.M.**

Club members will offer quality lambs, market hogs, and steers for auction.
Stock your freezer with quality meat or donate the proceeds to your
favorite charity.

Thank you again for your support!

Thank You 2015 Silent Auction Donors!

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Roby's Photo Shop
Rock Hill Orchard
Russo Family
Sandy Spring Bank
Sherwin Williams - Damascus
Spring Garden Farm
Stadler Nurseries
Starbucks - Gaithersburg
The Find
The Leck's Farm -
 George & Carolyn Lechluder
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 Cari Fisher

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